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The Body Recovered.

Found Floating on the Surface of the Water Below the Aqueduct Mill.

"Due to Accident" Says the Coroner's Probers.

The dead body of Alfred Low, whose sudden and unexplained disappearance from home since the early morn of Monday, June 3rd has been the all absorbing topic of discussion and for whose remains men had been deligently searching was found floating on the surface of the Fishingcreek, a short distance below the Aqueduct Mill, Saturday, shortly before noon. It was observed, recovered from the turbulent stream and conveyed to the shore by means of an oarless boat, manned by two boys, Harry McKelvy son of Geo. A. McKelvy, and Emmet Eyerly, son of W. L. Eyerly. The boys had been fishing nearby all morning and were preparing to leave, when one of them glanced up just as the tumbling waters brought to view the form of a human body. Without the slightest fear, or hesitancy, they guided the open vessel, as best they could toward the object. It required their united strength to master it, but they finally succeeded in getting it into the boat. As stated above, the boat was without oars, and the boys were compelled to use their hands as the guiding instruments. After placing the body on the bank of the creek, they hastened to make known their find. Word was sent from the Aqueduct Mill by telephone, and scarcely half an hour had elapsed until several hundred people had gathered at the scene.

The body was considerably bloated and bruised by reason of contact with sharp obstacles, but was easily recognizable. The face, about the mouth contained several cutaneous wounds, but was otherwise only slightly disfigured. As it was being lifted from the ground to the wagon to allow a more complete examination, a large pocket knife, which was the only article about the person, fell from one of the trousers pockets. As is customary in such cases, Justice of the Peace Mensch, who was the nearest resident official was summoned. He empanelled a jury consisting of James Quick, C. B. Ent, Charles Geese, E. A. Mears, B. W. Furman and George Beagle. The body was viewed, but no verdict was rendered, as it was impossible to arrive at a decision until further investigation had been made.

The remains were taken in charge by undertaker H. W. Bittenbender, and removed to H. G. Supplee's where they were prepared for burial, and subsequently removed to the Low home.

The inquest was held at the Central Hotel at seven o'clock Saturday evening. Coroner B. F. Sharpless of Catawissa was present. The jury was the same as in the afternoon. A visit to the Low farm and an examination of the spot where the unfortunate man is supposed to have met his death, by two of the jurymen, B. W. Furman and C. B. Ent, premised the inquest. In company with Low's farm hand William Jones the three walked to the upper end of the farm. They had ventured nearly to the edge of the bank when the earth suddenly gave way beneath Jones, and he was almost thrown into the creek. He saved himself by grasping a small sapling. This satisfied the other two, that Low had met his death in a like manner, and they returned to the hotel and bore testimony to that effect.

There were three witnesses examined, namely Mrs. Selecta Low, wife of the deceased, Mrs. Ida Shaffer, a neighbor and William Jones the hired man. They were closely questioned by the Coroner and all the facts brought out.

After extended thought and mature deliberation the following verdict was rendered:

"The verdict of the inquisition is that we, the undersigned jury appointed to view the body and take testimony as to how Alfred Low met his death, find that his death was due to accidental drowning in Fishing creek near the Irondale Co's dam at about half past eight o'clock a. m. on the 3d day of June A. D., 1901." Signed, Dr. B. F. Sharpless, Coroner; James Quick, foreman; E. A. Mears, C. B. Ent, B. W. Furman, Chas. Geese, Geo. W. Beagle.

This version is generally accepted as correct. Of course it is a well known fact that domestic unhappiness had existed, and that the wife had left home, but she had returned and Low realizing the tender years of his children and believing that she as a mother had the disposition and ability to bestow what the little ones needed. had taken her back.

From the very first Low's most intimate friends have never considered it a case of suicide. "He was not that kind of a man." they say, and the late developments, particularly the examination of the bank, has served to strengthen their belief, and now more than ever, do they regard it as pure accident.

An examination of the body made by Dr. Sharpless revealed the fact that the neck had been broken. This, it is believed was done when it went over Boone's Dam.

We neglected to mention above that the body was first seen going over the dam by John Gross and Frank Boone. Gross was returning home from Rupert. The body was whirling around a few feet above the dam. Several times it revolved and then caught by the swift current, it was carried rapidly over the breast of the dam, and lost from view in the seething caldron of water below. This was about three quarters of an hour before the recovery of the body by the boys.

THE LAST CHAPTER.

The concluding feature of the sad affair occurred in the funeral which was held Sunday afternoon. Services were conducted at the house by Rev. J. D. Smith of the Baptist church. The procession was one of the largest ever seen here, it extended from the entrance to Rosemont Cemetery, to a point out near the Bloomsburg Water Works. As the remains passed from mortal view, and were being lowered to their final resting place, the heads of the vast audience which had assembled at the cemetery were bowed in sorrow, and the grief and gloom that overshadows the family of six children through the death of their father, will strike an answering chord in the hearts of hundreds of those who knew and respected him in life.

His love for his children was deep and strong. But now they alone. May the mantle of love, the arm that is everlasting and the grace that never fails, be around and with them.

MRS. SUSAN B. HEWITT.

Mrs. Susan B. Hewitt, widow of the late Rev. H. H. Hewitt, formerly rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church of Sunbury, died at her home in Columbus, Ohio, aged 82 years. Her remains were brought to Sunbury and the funeral took place this Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Deceased was the mother of Rev. John Hewitt, a former rector of the Episcopal church here, and she and her husband resided here for some time, before their removal to Sunbury. Since her husband's death she has lived in Columbus where Rev. John Hewitt is rector of a parish.

Topic Cards.

On Saturday June 22, we shall send in an order for Christian Endeavor Topic Cards. All oaganizations desiring us to furnish these cards must have their orders in by that time, or they will have to pay extra expressage if orders separately. 2t

Married.

THOMAS — CORELL.—On the 5th inst., at the parsonage of the Reformed Church, Strawberry Ridge, Pa., by Rev. Jos. W. Bell, Mr. Chas. E. Thomas and Miss Jennie B. Corell.

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JUNE WEDDING.

Miss Mabel Peacock Becomes the Wife of Harry S. Barton.

A charming nuptial event was celebrated in the Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Market and Third streets, yesterday afternoon, when Miss Mabel Peacock became the wife of Harry S. Barton.

The decorations in the church were not overdone, but they were, nevertheless, beautiful, the arrangement being especially pleasing to the eye. Palms, ferns, and flowers of various kinds were gracefully arranged, making the effect very pretty indeed. It was a white and green wedding, and these colors, of course, predominated.

The event called out many of Bloomsburg's representative people, while many guests were present from other places. Beautiful costumes were much in evidence, and many of them were strikingly handsome. The intermingling of the hues, with the richness of the fabrics, were greatly admired, and occupied the attention of all.

At precisely the appointed time, half-past four, the bridal party entered the church from the Sunday school room, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Mrs. Fred Holmes. First came the four bridesmaids, Miss Poust, of Wilkes-Barre, Miss Nell Lauer and Miss Bessie Cleaver, of Philadelphia, and Miss Flora Skeer, of Bloomsburg. Immediately following was the bride, Miss Peacock, the maid of honor, Miss Helen Peacock, sister of the bride, and the attendant, Miss Maud Barton, of Bloomsburg. They were followed by the ushers—William Peacock, brother of the bride, Morris E. Broadt, Thomas B. Moore, of Bloomsburg, and Oliver Watts, of Middletown, Pa. The groom, with his best man, Paul Harman, of Bloomsburg, were the last to appear. The procession moved forward, utilizing all of the aisles in the march, which terminated at the altar, where the ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, Rev. W. M. Frysinger, When the words had been spoken the bridal party retired, the bride and groom leading the way, while Mrs. Holmes played Mendelssohn's wedding march.

The bridal party made a distinguished appearance, and the guests had much to admire. The bride wore a beautiful costume of white, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. She looked very pretty, and the murmur of comment, which could be heard after the ceremony, contained many flattering allusions, not only as to her attractive personal appearance, but as to her costume as well.

The maid of honor, the attendant, and the bridesmaids were gowned in white material and each carried a bunch of white daisies tied with green ribbon.

A reception was held at the home of the bride, on Center Street, which was attended by the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The rooms were nicely decorated, and the arrangement was pretty and in good taste. There were a large number of presents, combining beauty and utility, and the array was one that is seldom seen.

It was perhaps one of the prettiest nuptial events that has taken place in the church. There was an effort to get away from the "always the same" and stereotyped incidents in connection with the ceremony and the whole arrangement seemed an innovation.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton departed on the evening train on the Lackawanna Road for a ten-day tour, during which time they will visit the Buffalo Exposition, Niagara Falls, and other places. They carry with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

They were conveyed from the bride's home to the station in a carriage gayly bedecked with streamers and cards bearing inscriptions, calling attention to the fact that they were just married. The spectacle created much merriment on the way to the depot.

THE CANNING FACTORY

We have been reliably informed that the Canning Factory is an assured fact. The entire stock has been subscribed, and an organization will be effected within the next twenty-four hours, in fact it may be in shape before this issue reaches our readers. The persons who have interested themselves in the the enterprise, are such as will give it credit.

Under proper care and management and with the support that it will no doubt receive at the hands of farmers and truckers of this community, it may, and it is confidently expected that it will, in a very short space of time, astonish the most sanguine. This will afford the much needed market for the surplus vegetables and fruits, and at the same time stimulate additional production, which means increased returns to the producers as well as an advantage to the locality in which the factory is located.

THE SCIENTIFIC FOOD COMPANY.

The old store building at Irondale has undergone many internal changes, and the wheels of industry will soon begin to go 'round within its ancient walls. The machinery of the Scientific Food Co. has been placed in position, and it is expected that the manufacture of "Cofo" will begin this week. The machinery thus far installed consists of roasters, grinders, separators, engines, &c. Two more roasters will soon be set up, which will increase the capacity to about a thousand pounds a day, the present capacity being about one-half that amount. "Cofo" is a substitute for coffee, and is a componnd of fruits, vegetables and cereals. It is much less expensive than coffee. It is highly recommended by physicians, and will, no doubt, prove a great success. The works are in charge of H. F. and Dr. James Pursel.

IS NOW A BENEDICT.

After considering the question for some time, John Fidler, proprietor of the Market street Gem Laundry, decided that marriage is the best state for man, and accordingly he on Tuesday hied himself to Shamokin, where he joined hands with a partner for life in the person of Miss Gertrude Lake, a popular young lady of that city. The wedding occurred at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. George Lewis, yesterday, at 12:30. Rev. D. S. Monroe officiated. Only immediate relatives were present.

The bride is a graduate of the Bloomsburg State Normal School. Mr. and Mrs. Fidler will reside in a house on West Third street, the same having been furnished for their occupancy.

J. G. WELLS,

Successor to S. F. Peacock & Co., Market Square.

The Strafford and Independent Bicycles for $16.20, guaranteed for one year.

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BEN GIDDING,
THE CLOTHIER.

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READY

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AIM

Is to turn these goods into money quickly. Of course, we could have closed out the whole lot to a second-hand dealer, but we prefer to give the people of Columbia county a chance to buy carpets. There isn't very much—about $2,000 worth—the accumulation of twelve months. You fix the price, for they will be sold to the highest bidder. We don't test your credulity by telling you we are going to give you an all wool Ingrain for 25c., but we do say that you can buy carpets at the same price as a jobber buys 1,000 rolls.

FIRE

Them out! That's the order. So on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 17th, 18th and 19th, every afternoon and evening, we are going to sell these carpet bargains—money savers—to you. If they are all sold the first day, that's the end of it. Almost forgot to tell you where, in our desire to impress on you the desirability of attending the sale. At the Tabernacle, Fourth and Market streets, June 17, 18, 19, we'll offer Body Brussels, Tapestries, Velvets, Art Squares, Rugs, Samples and some Furniture we took for debt.

THE CARPET WORKS.

TWO TERMS ENOUGH.

President Puts Quietus on Third Term Gossip.

A FIRM AND DECIDED STAND.

Letter Issued From the White House After Consultation With the Cabinet—Would Not Accept Renomination If Tendered.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—President McKinley has put an effectual quietus on the third term talk which has gained some currency in the newspapers through interviews with certain well known Republicans favoring the renomination of the president for a third term. Shortly before the cabinet meeting adjourned Secretary Cortelyou gave to the press a signed statement by the president intended for the American people announcing that he was not a candidate for a third term and would not accept a renomination if one were tendered.

A decision to issue such a statement was reached Monday night, when the president read to the members of the cabinet his proposed statement, at the same time personally pledging each to secrecy until public announcement was made. The cabinet on hearing the reasons the president advanced, which are substantially set forth in the public announcement—namely, that talk of a third term would react on the national policies the administration is endeavoring to promote—coincided with the view of their chief that the present was an opportune time for its promulgation. The phraseology of the announcement was considered further by the cabinet, and after a change or two from the first draft Secretary Cortelyou was directed to make it public.

The following is the statement given out at the White House:

"I regret that the suggestion of a third term has been made. I doubt whether I am called upon to give it notice. But there are now questions of the gravest importance before the administration and the country, and their just consideration should not be prejudiced in the public mind by even the suspicion of the thought of a third term.

"In view, therefore, of the reiteration of the suggestion of it I will say now, once for all, expressing a long settled conviction, that I not only am not and will not be a candidate for a third term, but would not accept a nomination for it if it were tendered me.

"My only ambition is to serve through my second term to the acceptance of my countrymen, whose generous confidence I so deeply appreciate, and then, with them, to do my duty in the ranks of private citizenship."

Two Burglars Dead.

TORONTO, June 8.—Of the three men, Fred Lee Rice, Thomas Jones and Frank Rutledge, extradited from Chicago to stand trial for the robbery of a bank in Aurora, Ont., Rice is the only living survivor of the trio to serve out the 21 years' imprisonment to which he was sentenced yesterday morning. Two tragedies have put Jones and Rutledge beyond the reach of the law. Jones died from bullet wounds received in a desperate attempt to escape from the officers who were transferring the prisoners from the courthouse to the jail last Tuesday, and Rutledge committed suicide yesterday by jumping from the gallery in the jail to the stone court 30 feet below.

The Largest Coal Production.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Official reports show that the year 1900 closed the century with the largest coal production ever recorded in the United States and continued the supremacy of the United States among the coal producing countries of the world. Practically completed returns to Edward W. Parker, statistician of the United States geological survey, show the total output of coal in 1900 to have been 267,542,444 short tons, an increase over the preceding year of 13,802,452 tons, or a little more than 5 per cent. The value of this product was $297,920,000, an increase of 16 per cent over 1899.

Tin Plate Company to Enlarge.

JOLIET, Ills., June 8.—It is unofficially announced that the American Tin Plate company, which has four mill plants here, will enlarge its works to 16 or 20 mill plants, establishing a business that will employ 1,500 men and have a pay roll of $15,000 weekly. The American is part of the United States Steel corporation, which owns steel and wire mills here and the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern railroad. The new plant, if built, will be on this road.

Steadily Improving.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Mrs. McKinley's condition continues to improve Surgeon General Sternberg, after his usual visit, said: "Mrs. McKinley is improving slowly, but steadily. Everything now is favorable. She sat up in bed for awhile again yesterday." The president went out for a long drive in the afternoon, his companion being Mr. James Barber, Sr., of Canton, O., who arrived in the morning and left on an early train in the evening.

Pennsylvania to Have New Capitol.

HARRISBURG, June 12.—The bill providing for the erection of a new state capitol building here has passed finally in the house with few dissenting voices. The bill now goes to the senate for concurrence in the house amendments. The most important is the reduction of the appropriation to complete the building from $5,000,000 to $4,000,000.

Jelleff Has Confessed.

MINERAL POINT, Wis., June 11.—Stewart Jelleff, who was arrested on suspicion of having robbed the First National bank of Mineral Point of over $26,000 about three weeks ago, has confessed, according to the police. All the money but $5,000 has been recovered. Jelleff has informed the officers, it is said, where this package is buried.

Editors at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, June 12.—The National Editorial association has begun its sixteenth annual convention in the Temple of Music. This association includes editors from all parts of the United States. Hundreds of delegates were present, most of them accompanied by members of their families.

Cashier Kills Himself.

DEXTER, Kan., June 12.—Cashier Watkins of the local bank has committed suicide. The bank is closed pending action of the bank commissioner.

THE BRITISH SCORED.

Boer Minister In America to Raise Relief Funds.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The Rev. H. D. von Brockhuizen of Pretoria, South Africa, the minister who closed the volksraad with prayer after President Kruger's ultimatum had been read to that body, is in this city. His brother, Dr. H. J. von Brockhuizen of the Orange Free State, who served in the Boer army, accompanies him. Their mission in this country is to raise money for the Boer women and children now in refuge camps. Rev. Dr. von Brockhuizen said in an interview:

"Our women and children, who are at present concentrated in camps established by the British, are in a horrible condition. It was bad enough when I left South Africa, but I know from letters that I have received, one only the other day from my sister, that it is a hundred times worse now."

When the doctor left South Africa, he says he was virtually banished by order of General Maxwell, military governor of Pretoria. General Maxwell wrote him that he had better leave the country and provided a second cabin passage to Europe on the ground that inasmuch as he would not take the oath he was dangerous to the British cause.

Dr. von Brockhuizen said further of the camps:

"In an official report made by Dr. Ronald P. McKenzie of the British army on Feb. 18 of this year the British government is notified that the conditions are horrible, the death rate appalling and the food furnished wholly unfit to eat. Nothing I or any one else has ever said has been half as caustic as this arraignment of his own people by Dr. McKenzie."

The Afrikanders, Rev. Dr. von Brockhuizen avers, will never be overcome, and all reports to the contrary are false. The Boer army numbers 15,000 to 17,000 men and is constantly being augmented by Cape Colony Boers. The Boer forces are now armed with Lee-Metford rifles, he says, and they have tons of ammunition buried, which they can use at any time against the British.

A MANILA SENSATION.

Surgeon Welch Turned State's Evidence In Hemp Trial.

MANILA, June 12.—There was a sensation in the court martial of Captain Michael Spellman, Lieutenant Delbert R. Jones and Surgeon Dudley Welch of the Forty-third volunteer infantry in southern Leyte on the charge of trading in permits to ship hemp from closed ports.

Surgeon Dudley Welch turned state's evidence and gave testimony incriminating Captain Spellman and Lieutenant Jones, who will probably receive terms of imprisonment. Welch, who appears to have been a tool of the others, has returned $1,000, his share of the spoils, to the government.

The evidence disclosed that the value of the hemp cleared from Maasin was about $500,000 in the last six months. The officers indicted levied, it was asserted, half a peso on each picul of rice entering insurgent territory, while steamships, schooners and bancas trading with closed ports in Malitbog bay paid from 30 to 500 pesos to their tonnage.

The presidente of Maasin and a go between who is connected with a Spanish firm have also been arrested.

Spellman was formerly a major in the Sixty-ninth New York regiment.

Surgeon Welch was an appointee at large in the volunteer army. Lieutenant Jones was appointed from Connecticut, having served in the Spanish war as first lieutenant of the First Connecticut infantry.

FIVE WERE KILLED.

Wreck on the D., L. and W. Railway Caused Great Destruction.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 10.—Five men were killed and seven injured in the terrible wreck at Vestal. The dead are: John P. Kelly, head brakeman of wildcat train; S. R. Polhamus, conductor of train No. 61; Elmer Polhamus, trainman of train No. 61; John Coulter, fireman first engine of the wildcat freight; Fred Witherby, fireman second engine of wildcat freight.

Many of those who were at first thought to be fatally hurt recovered from the concussion and now figure in the list of slightly hurt.

All through the early morning hours the rescuers toiled about and among the burning freight cars at the scene of the explosion, but it was not until late yesterday afternoon that portions of the last dismembered body to be accounted for were discovered a quarter of a mile from where the explosion occurred, while the tracks of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad were completely blocked until far past midday. Both trains were completely wrecked, and the engines of the wildcat freight which ran into the rear of train No. 61, which was taking water at the time and which carried the fatal car of dynamite, were reduced to scrap iron, pieces of which have been picked up at a distance of half a mile away.

Aside from the damage to railroad property much minor damage is reported.

Orphan Heir to Millions.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., June 7.—Miss Ollie Tyson, an orphan living in Todd county, has learned through attorneys that she is to receive over $2,000,000 from the estate of John Tyson, her uncle, who died in Australia. She is one of 18 heirs. John Tyson was a Scotchman who went to Australia over a century ago and accumulated $40,000,000. Miss Tyson is 24 years old. She was educated by friends. The other heirs to the Tyson estate live in Texas.

The Longest Cable.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The state department is in receipt of interesting information concerning work on the British Pacific telegraph cable which is to connect the Dominion of Canada with the Australian federation. The new cable is to be 5,834½ miles in length, the longest ever constructed, and will be transported and laid by one ship, now being built for that purpose.

A Double Tragedy.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Louis Hartman of New York killed Miss Rose LeFebre in their room in the Great Northern hotel and committed suicide. The motive probably was jealousy. They eloped from New York city three weeks ago.

Good Pay For Pickling a Leg.

CONCORD, N. H., June 8.—A novel lawsuit was heard in the superior court yesterday, wherein a jury gave a verdict of $1,979.16 to a druggist for preserving in alcohol the amputated limb of a once prominent man.

SEVENTEEN KILLED.

Port Royal Mining Disaster Proves Very Serious.

OFFICIAL LIST OF THE DEAD.

Explosion of Fire Damp Set the Mine on Fire and Prevented Escape of Miners—Talk of Flooding the Mine.

PORT ROYAL, Pa., June 12.—As a result of Monday night's explosion in the Port Royal mines of the Pittsburg Coal company 17 are dead, 7 injured and thousands of dollars' worth of property destroyed. The official list of dead and injured as made public by the coal company's officials last night is as follows:

The dead recovered are William McCune, superintendent of the company's mines along the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, whose body was found lying in the passageway about 1,000 feet from the shaft and who leaves a wife, three sons and a daughter; Taylor Gunsaulus, Sr., loader, who leaves a widow and several children, and Fritz Kruger.

Those still entombed in the mine and known for a certainty to be dead are William F. Allison, assistant superintendent of mines, who leaves a wife and five children; Dennis Wardley, foreman of mine No. 1, who leaves a wife and four children; John Kock, foreman of Dart mine, who leaves a wife and several children; Michael Roy, foreman of Euclid mines, who leaves a widow and small boy; Bernard Ball, who leaves a wife and two children; Taylor Gunsaulus, Jr., son of man taken from mine, who leaves a wife; Jerry Daly, who leaves a wife and several children; John Peebles, who leaves a wife; David James, who leaves a wife; John Carto, machine boss of Darr mine; Samuel Hadley, assistant foreman of mine No. 2, who leaves a wife and two children; Peter Marchando, boss driver of mine No. 1, who leaves a wife and child and John Stickle, pipeman of mine No. 23, who leaves a wife and three children.

Late yesterday afternoon the officials of the Pittsburg Coal company issued an order refusing to allow any more men to enter the shaft, as the danger was too great. They are now considering the advisability of flooding the mine for the purpose of extinguishing the fire. There is now no hope of rescuing the entombed men.

Harry Beveridge and Arthur Smith cannot live. Twelve of the dead were men who went into the mine as rescuers. What caused the explosion and loss of life is something the mine inspectors of the Ninth and Eleventh districts spent the greater part of the day trying to find out. The officials of the coal company declare that none but regulation mine lamps were used, while others are of the opinion that one of the men carelessly lit a match which ignited gas and caused one of the greatest catastrophes in the history of Westmoreland county.

Canary Whistles "Yankee Doodle."

CHICAGO, June 10.—Twelve hundred dollars may be an extravagant sum to pay for a canary bird, but Louis M. Hedges of 59 Warren avenue does not think so. He says that he considers a bird sufficiently patriotic to whistle "Yankee Doodle" continuously and without losing a note is worth even more. Mr. Hedges has just purchased a 2-year-old canary bird known as Missouri Dick from an old shoemaker named O'Brien in St. Joseph, Mo. O'Brien while sitting at his bench varied his peg driving by whistling "Yankee Doodle." The canary sat perched in its cage directly over his head. Four months ago O'Brien first heard the bird whistle disconnected pieces of the tune, but eventually it rendered it as perfectly as he could whistle it himself.

Gifts to Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, June 12.—At a meeting of the trustees of Syracuse university it was announced that donations had been made as follows: Lyman C. Smith of Syracuse, $25,000; John S. Huyler of New York, $25,000; Clarence W. Seamans of New York, $25,000; S. W. Bowne of New York, $12,500; William Nottingham of Syracuse, $12,500. This amount is to go toward duplicating the recent gift of $400,000 made by John D. Archbold of New York. Aside from this $33,000 was subscribed to make up a deficiency for the year.

Moran, the Artist, Dead.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Edward Moran, the marine painter, is dead at his apartments, 384 Fifth avenue. He had been seriously ill for five weeks, and his death was not unexpected. Bright's disease was the cause. He had been ailing for several months previous to taking to his bed, but he kept at work and finished a commissioned picture the day before he gave up. Mr. Moran was born in Bolton, England, 74 years ago. His parents were cloth weavers, and when he was 12 years old his family came to this country and settled in Maryland.

Snow and Ice In Pennsylvania.

ALTOONA, Pa., June 10.—A cold snap of unprecedented severity for June has practically ruined the farm and garden crops in the mountain region of Pennsylvania. The temperature was within 4 degrees of freezing in this city, while ice formed at higher levels on the hills. Snow fell at Kittanning, and several hailstorms began the damage to the crops which the frost completed.

To Cross the Atlantic Again.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., June 10.—In his 25 foot sloop, the Great Republic, Captain Howard Blackburn of this city yesterday afternoon started on his second transatlantic voyage, his present destination being Lisbon, Portugal, which he expects to reach in 45 days. His previous voyage, in 1899, was to London, which trip took 61 days.

General Young to Relieve Shafter.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Major General S. B. M. Young, who is now in this city, will assume command of the department of California on the 30th inst., relieving Major General Shafter, whose commission as major general of volunteers expires on that date.

A Fatal Tornado.

LARCHWOOD, Ia., June 12.—A baby was killed and several people were badly injured by a tornado near Lester. Many buildings were destroyed. Slight damage was done here by the same storm.

Earthquake In Venezuela.

CARACAS, Venezuela, June 12.—A strong earthquake shock was felt at 3 o'clock yesterday morning at Caracas and in its vicinity.

ALABAMA'S CONSTITUTION.

A Sweeping Suffrage Scheme—Criminals and Negroes Barred.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 12.—The first part of the new constitution was adopted yesterday by the constitutional convention. The office of lieutenant governor was created and the governor's salary raised from $3,000 to $5,000. The terms of the executive officers were lengthened from two to four years, but they are ineligible for re-election.

The governor cannot become a candidate for United States senator within one year of the expiration of his term.

The most sweeping suffrage scheme yet brought forward was that introduced by Burns of Burnsville. It provides that the following classes shall not vote:

"Those who are bastards or loafers or who may be infected with any loathesome or contagious disease.

"Those who have been convicted of treason, bribery, forgery, larceny, robbery, bigamy, seduction, incest, murder, rape or attempt to rape, arson or burglary.

"Those who are descendants of parents who are of or descendants of two or more different races; those who shall have married any woman having a living husband from whom she has not been legally divorced; those who have committed any assault and battery on wife or stepdaughter."

This law destroys 90 per cent of the negro vote, and the ex-slaves who are not debarred will be less than 5 per cent.

SURGEON DALY A SUICIDE.

A Member of General Miles' Staff and Well Known.

PITTSBURG, June 10.—Major W. H. Daly, surgeon general on the staff of Lieutenant General Miles in Porto Rico, committed suicide at his home here yesterday by shooting himself in the right temple. The body of the doctor was found in the bathroom by Miss Mary Short, the housekeeper, lying in a pool of blood, with a .38 caliber revolver lying on the floor. Dr. Foster, who was summoned at once, found the bullethole in the temple and announced that death had taken place several hours before. Miss Short then remembered hearing a sharp report at about 7:30 a. m., but thought it was the quick closing of a window by some one.

No cause is known for Dr. Daly's deed, unless it be that insomnia drove him to temporary insanity. The doctor was a widower and leaves no immediate family. He was 59 years of age and for many years had been prominent in medical circles. He gained international prominence during the Cuban war, as it was his report to the commanding general of the army that started the "embalmed beef" investigation.

BASEBALL.

Standing of the Clubs In National and American Leagues.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
New York	19	14	.576
Pittsburg	23	17	.575
Cincinnati	20	17	.540
Brooklyn	20	18	.526
Philadelphia	20	19	.513
St. Louis	19	20	.487
Boston	14	18	.437
Chicago	15	27	.357

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Chicago	27	14	.658
Detroit	24	16	.600
Washington	19	14	.576
Boston	18	16	.529
Baltimore	16	17	.485
Philadelphia	17	21	.447
Milwaukee	14	23	.359
Cleveland	13	25	.342

Illinois Day Postponed.

CHICAGO, June 11.—Illinois day at the Pan-American exposition has been postponed from June 25 to Sept. 16. Governor Yates has decided that it would be impossible for the state to make as great a showing as was desirable if the day was as early as at first planned, and in order to give plenty of time for preparation he arranged for the new date. The decision was reached by Governor Yates after a long conference with Colonel H. P. Rucker, western representative of the exposition. The new date for the celebration will be not merely an Illinois day, but also a Chicago day. The various committees will at once begin preparations for what they will call Illinois-Chicago day.

Fifty-nine Chinamen Drowned.

VICTORIA, B. C., June 11.—The steamer Kinshia Maru has arrived from the orient, being the first of the reorganized Nippon Yusen Kaisha service, which now gives bimonthly instead of monthly steamers. She brought news that a Chinese passenger boat bound from Chusan to Ningpo was upset during a squall on May 8, and out of 68 on board only 9 were saved. Thirty bodies were washed ashore. George W. Schilling, who left New York in August, 1897, to walk around the world, has reached Kobe from India, being unable to walk through China owing to its unsettled condition.

Orr Chosen Commander.

ROCHESTER, June 8.—The delegates to the New York state encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic settled down to hard, matter of fact business—the election of officers and delegates and alternates to the national encampment. As soon as the encampment was called to order the balloting was begun. Charles A. Orr of Buffalo was elected department commander by a vote of 461 over Major Horace D. Ellsworth of Canton, who polled 262.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western inactive and lower to sell; Minnesota patents, $3.95@4.25; winter straights, $3.50@3.60; winter extras, $2.50@2.90; winter patents, $3.70@4.

WHEAT—Opened steady, but soon broke under free selling for both accounts, prompted partly by good weather conditions in all parts of the west; July, 77@78 3-16c.; September, 74½@74¾c.

RYE—Dull; state, 55@56c., c. i. f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 59c., f. o. b., afloat.

CORN—Dull and easier with wheat and under improved crop conditions; July, 47⅛@47⅜c.; September, 47½@48⅛c.

OATS—Quiet and barely steady; track, white, state, 32½@37c.; track, white, western, 32½@37c.

PORK—Firm; mess, $15.50@16.50; family, $15.50@16.

LARD—Firm; prime western steam, 8.90c.

BUTTER—Firmer; state dairy, 14½@18½c.; creamery, 15½@19½c.

CHEESE—Unsettled; fancy, large, colored, 8½@8⅝c.; fancy, large, white, 8½@8⅝c.; fancy, small, colored, 9⅛@9¼c.; fancy, small, white, 9⅛@9¼c.

EGGS—Weak; state and Pennsylvania, 13¼@13½c.; western, candled, 13@13¼c.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3⅝c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¼c.; refined quiet; crushed, 6.05c.; powdered, 5.65c.

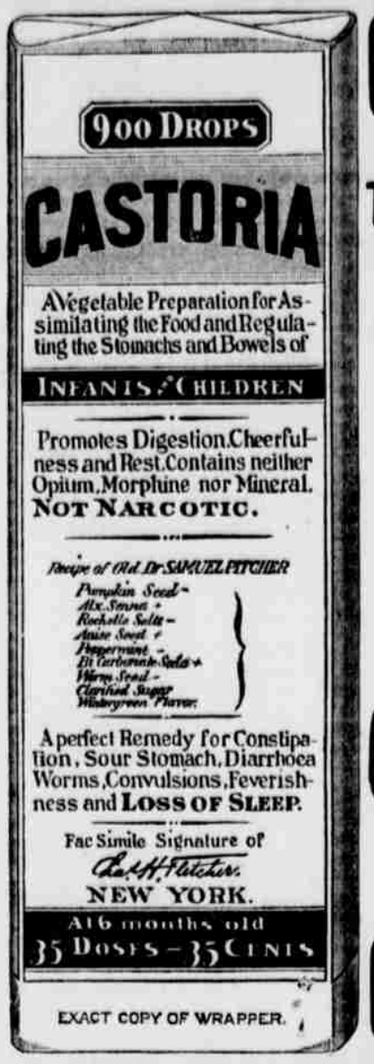
TURPENTINE—Dull at 34½@35c.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 32@40c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4⅝@6c.; Japan, 4⅝@4¾c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 4⅛c.; country, 5@5¼c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 70@75c.; good to choice, 90@92½c.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Count—The trouble was that when I was of a marriageable age you were a wee, tiny baby.—Heitere Welt.

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Little Bo-Peep, she lost her sheep
And failed to advertise;
The result, of course, was much remorse
And terribly reddened eyes.
—Puck.

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THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.	RETAIL PRICES.
Butter, per pound	$ 18
Eggs, per dozen	16
Lard, per pound	11
Ham, per pound	13½
Pork (whole), per pound	06
Beef (quarter), per pound	6 to 8
Wheat, per bushel	90
Oats, do	40
Rye, do	60
Wheat, per bbl	$4 00 to 4 40
Hay, per ton	16 00
Potatoes, per bushel	75
Turnips, do	20
Onions, do	1 40
Sweet potatoes, per peck	35
Tallow, per pound	05
Shoulder, do	11
Side meat, do	09
Vinegar, per qt	05
Dried apples, per pound	05
Dried cherries, pitted, per pound	12
Raspberries, per pound	12
Cow hides, do	3½
Steer do do	05
Calf skin	80
Sheep pelts	75
Shelled corn, per bushel	65
Corn meal, cwt	1 75
Bran, cwt	1 10
Chop, cwt	1 15
Middlings, cwt	1 10
Chickens, per pound, new	11
do do old	10
Turkeys, do	2½
Geese, do	12
Ducks, do	08

COAL.

Number 6, delivered	3 10
do 4 and 5, delivered	4 25
do 6, at yard	2 85
do 4 and 5, at yard	4 00

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When a man is dry he usually takes something to whet his appetite.

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MAN WHO WROTE "SUWANEE."

Though He Has Been Dead Since 1864, His Ballads Are Still Popular.

In one of the largest music houses the other day I chanced to overhear a young lady giving an order for several songs, says a well known Milwaukee musician. As she read off the list I paid no special attention until my ear caught the titles, "Old Kentucky Home," "Gentle Annie" and one or two others.

"What!" I said to myself, "are Foster's songs still sold?" I had had a general idea that they were sung from memory when sung at all, or that a few copies, yellow with age and reposing at the bottom of the piles of music in some old fashioned parlors, were all that remained of the once popular ballads. But a few words with the clerk proved to me that I was wrong. He told me that it was no rare thing for people to ask for them; that, if not in stock, they could still be obtained of Foster's publishers.

This set me to thinking of the young composer and the melodies which won for him a world-wide fame.

Stephen Collins Foster was born in what is now a part of Pittsburg, July 4, 1826, and died in New York January 13, 1864. He was educated at Athens Academy and Jefferson College. He was not distinguished for unusual scholarship, but was a quiet, serious boy, with a fondness for scribbling on scraps of paper in odd corners. His first published song was "Open Thy Lattice, Love," written in 1842, when he was little more than sixteen years old, and his last work, "Beautiful Dreamer," appeared in 1862.

It is the ballad writers of a time that most directly address the people. Foster had a word to say, and though more than fifty years have passed since he wrote his best songs, they still have power to speak to us. The opening notes of "Nelly Gray" or "Hazel Dell" or Suwanee River" will cause a hush to fall upon the gayest company, and to almost every breast will be conjured up some memory, sweet or sad of the days that have gone by.

Stephen Foster was not a musical prodigy; he had not even a good technical knowledge of music. His talent lay rather in the possession of an exquisite taste and in a natural use of the simple rules of harmony—also in his abillity to fit words and notes together. By the very mesmerism of his own heart-power he gave to his songs a life feeling that was wonderful and that has made them live. They had a spirit and inspiration which made them genuine works of art; for what can art do better than to reach the heart?

The popularity attained by Foster's composition may best be judged by noting the following figures: "Suwanee River" there have been sold considerably over 400,000 copies; of "My Old Kentucky Home", more than 300,000 copies; "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," 250,000 copies. Nearly 100,000 copies of "Old Dog Tray" were sold in six months.

The Inspiration for "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground" came to Foster at Covington, Ky. He heard an old slave bewailing the death of a kind master, and that he and several other slaves, aged and worn out in faithful service, would pass into the hands of less kind owners. "Old Kentucky Home" is said to have been suggested to Foster on hearing an old negro speak with love and longing of his former home in Kentucky. Foster took frequent journeys for the purpose of acquainting himself with slave life in all its phases; therefore his work bore the impress of truth.

His body was taken from New York to Pittsburg for burial, and reposes in the old Allegheny cemetery, near the arsenal.—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

Farmers who have made a careful examination of the buds on the apple and cherry trees, say that they are all right so far, and unless there comes a hard frost while the trees are in full bloom that there will be a great yield of fruit this year.

DAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, June 10, 1901.

The Republican scheme for reducing the Congressional Representation of the Southern States which restricts negro suffrage has been revived and it is said to have more influential backing than the movement that was started last winter. At that time it was understood that Mr. McKinley, who had just begun to believe in the possibility of a white Republican party in the South, opposed the idea and was instrumental in having it laid aside. It is doubtful whether he has changed his mind on the subject, but some of the men who are quietly pushing the revived scheme express the opinion that by next winter the failure of making white Republican recruits in the South, under the name of McLaurinism, or any other, will be so plain to Mr. McKinley that he can be counted upon to keep his hands off, if not to help along the scheme. The increased power given to Congress by the insular decisions of the Supreme Court is used by the men who are working the scheme as an argument for the political necessity of cutting down Southern representation so as to make it certain that the Republicans will retain their majority in the House, the loss of which might play havoc with the party's insular policy. There are not a sufficient number of Senators and Representatives in Washington to form an idea of the strength of the revived scheme, but it is being manipulated by shrewd men who have no scruples about securing political advantage in any way, and it will be wise for Democratic Senators and Representatives to be vigilant.

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There were other than legal reasons for the decision of the Administration not to call an extra summer session of Congress to legislate for the Philippines. One was that it was thought that a few months exercise of the autocratic authority conferred by the Spooner amendment would get things on the islands in a condition that would be less inviting to Congressional interrogation than they are at this time, and another was the fear that a Congressional debate on a Philippine tariff bill might precipitate a general discussion of the whole tariff question.

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Gen. Samuel Pearson, of the Boer army, passed through Washington last week, on his way to New York, where he has been called to confer with the agent of the Boers on important business, which he hopes relates to an honorable peace. Speaking of the situation in his unfortunate country, he said: "We still have about 26,000 men in the field, we have all the ammunition we need, and we have sufficient horses and food stuffs, British reports to the contrary notwithstanding. My regular information from the seat of war tells me that only half of what is going on in South Africa is known and published in the newspapers here, and then it is not at all reliable. All news goes through English censors. There has been considerable more fighting down there lately than the American people have been informed of. Much activity is displayed throughout the Transvaal, the Orange Free State and Cape Colony. Kirtzinger's command has been very successful recruiting Cape Dutch for operations against the British, and if Kitchener or Roberts can boast of having invaded the Tranvaal, we can reply with the invasion of Cape Colony. Our soldiers are only fifteen miles from the sea coast, which speaks for itself. The men who are at the head of our army are young, energetic prudent and just. They know when to strike and how to do it to obtain the best results with the least difficulty and the smallest cost of life. We are just as anxious for peace as you, but it must be an honorable peace, otherwise we will fight—fight until the last man falls."

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Ex-Representative and Ex-Judge Springer, accompanied three Indian chiefs to the White House, where they went to present a petition asking the President to withhold his signature to the proclamation opening the Kiowa, Commanche and Apache Indian reservation to settlement until a delegation representing these tribes can reach Washington and be heard. They claim that the treaty under which the 2,000,000 acres involved are alleged to have been ceded was never approved by a majority of the Indians and that to allow it to be put into effect will be a rank injustice. Mr. Springer says that Mr. McKinley can, if so disposed, defer opening the land to settlement until Congress has an opportunity to reconsider its action providing therefor. But inasmuch as Secretary Hitchcock has turned down all protests against the opening, it is not likely that he will be so disposed.

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The alleged civil government that is to be established in the Philippines, will be civil in name only until after Congress legislates on the subject, as it is to be under military control. The islands are to be kept under military control because of the belief that the establishment of a real civil government would put them on the same footing that was given Porto Rico by the Supreme Court decision. There are tricks in all trades, and Republicans are specially apt in tricks relating to government.

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Representative Livingston, of Ga., who is in Washington to attend a meeting of the Industrial Commission, is strongly opposed to any constitutional amendment restricting negro suffrage in his state. Speaking of the matter he said: "I think our people are against such amendment to our State Constitution. We are getting along nicely with the negro in Georgia."

Facts and Figures.

It is said that gray horses live longer than those of any other color.

Dried eggs are exported to Alaska and South Africa in large quantities.

The first American theatre was opened in 1750 in the city of New York.

A man needs 1600 pounds weight of food in a year, a woman 1200 pounds, a child of six about 900 pounds.

The heaviest precious stone is the Zircon, which is four and one-half times heavier than an equal quantity of water; the lightest is the opal, only twice as heavy as water.

Engineers have taken a hint from the beaver in building a dam with an arch facing the current. It is said that they are indebted to the clam for the idea of using a water jet in sinking piles in sand.

Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, N. Y.

May 1 to October 31, 1901.

For the above occasion the following fares and arrangements will apply from Bloomsburg via the Lackawanna Railroad: Season tickets, $13.50; ten-day tickets, $9.60; five-day tickets, $7.00. Season and ten-day tickets will be sold every day, five day tickets on Tuesdays and Saturdays only. All tickets will be limited to continuous passage in both directions. Fares to Niagara Falls will be 25 cents higher than the five and ten-day fares quoted to Buffalo, but the season tickets will include the trip to Niagara Falls without extra cost. Three fast trains each day. For further particulars apply to ticket agents. 5-2tf

Busy Trying to Explain the Joke.

As the result of a joke the Sayre bank is being flooded with 1901 pennies, and letters requesting remittance of $19 for each cent. Recently a paper in the spirit of facetiousness announced that the bank "would pay $19 for 1901 pennies," and many who failed to see the point began collecting coins and sending them in. One individual mailed four pennies of this year's date with a reqnest that $75.96 be returned to him, and now the bank officials are kept busy trying to explain the joke.

People who wear squeaky shoes sometimes delude themselves with the thought that they have music in their soles.

Our Working Girls.

Life to the most favored is not always full of sunshine, but to the average American girl or woman who is obliged to work for her living, and, perhaps to help others at home, life is often a heavy drag in consequence of illness.

Women who work, especially those who are constantly on their feet, are peculiarly liable to the development of organic troubles, and should particularly heed the first manifestations, such as backache, pains in the lower limbs and lower part of the stomach, irregular and painful monthly periods,

MISS ELLA BRENNER, E. ROCHESTER, OHIO.

faintness, weakness, loss of appetite and sleep.

The young lady whose portrait we publish herewith had all these symptoms, and in addition leucorrhoea, and was cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. First, she wrote a letter to Mrs. Pinkham's laboratory at Lynn, Mass., describing her trouble, received in reply accurate instructions what to do to get well, and now wishes her name used to convince others that they may be cured as she was.

The same helping hand, free of charge or obligation, is extended, to every ailing woman in America. If you are sick you are foolish not to get this valuable advice, it costs you nothing, and she is sure to help you. Don't wait until it is too late—write to-day.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Too many prophets spoil the weather.

The early circus catches the small boy's quarter.

An awkward boy is a chip off the old stumbling block.

Marry in haste and let your father-in-law repent at leisure.

Man wants but little here below—with a little water on the side.

Love's supposed blindness has cost the gas companies many a dollar.

Man proposes—and the girl sends him around to papa to see if he opposes.

Wise men are conservative. Only fools give their candid opinions on all occasions.—Chicago *News.*

The Destructive Caterpiliar.

The tent caterpillar, a most ravenous larva, is everywhere visible, and is and shoul l cause alarm to fruit growers Their presence this spring are in unusually large numbers, and they are attacking trees and bushes and have already left devastating marks in orchards. Unless something is done to arrest this distructive larva, great damage will be done to fruit trees and shrubs in a very short time.

The lumberman has to work for his board.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

In effect June 10, 1900]

STATIONS.	EAST. A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	6 35	1.50	10 00	†5 50
Cameron	6 47	2 01	.....	6 03
Chulasky	....	.....	.....	....
Danville	6 58	2 11	10 19	6 12
Catawissa	7 12	2 24	10 34	6 27
Rupert	7 17	2 29	10 37	6 32
Bloomsburg	7 24	2 34	10 43	6 38
Espy	7 32	2 40	10 48	6 44
Lime Ridge	7 39	2 46	.....	†6 50
Willow Grove	7 44	†2 50	....	....
Briarcreek	7 49	2 53	.....	†6 58
Berwick	7 55	3 01	11 05	7 05
Beach Haven	8 02	3 03	....	7 12
Hick's Ferry	8 12	3 09	....	7 21
Shickshinny	8 17	3 20	11 29	7 31
Hunlock's	8 32	3 31	.....	7 41
Nanticoke	8 38	3 38	11 43	7 46
Avondale	8 42	3 42	....	....
Plymouth	8 47	3 47	11 51	7 35
Plymouth Junction	8 51	3 52	.....	....
Kingston	8 53	4 00	11 59	8 02
Bennett	9 01	4 03	.....	8 04
Forty Fort	9 04	4 07	.....	....
Wyoming	9 09	4 12	12 08	8 12
West Pittston	9 13	4 17	.....	8 16
Susquehanna Ave	9 16	4 20	12 14	8 18
Pittston	9 19	4 24	12 17	8 16
Duryea	9 23	4 29	.....	8 25
Lackawanna	9 26	4 32	.....	8 27
Taylor	9 32	4 40	....	8 35
Bellevue	9 37	4 45	....	....
SCRANTON	9 42	4 50	12 35	8 45

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SCRANTON	6 45	†10 05	1 55	5 50
Bellevue	6 50	....	.....	.....
Taylor	6 55	10 15	2 03	5 59
Lackawanna	7 01	10 23	2 10	6 06
Duryea	7 03	10 26	2 13	6 09
Pittston	7 07	10 31	2 17	6 13
Susquehanna Ave	7 10	10 33	2 19	6 16
West Pittston	7 13	10 35	2 23	6 19
Wyoming	7 17	10 40	2 27	6 24
Forty Fort	....	....	....	.....
Bennett	7 24	10 49	2 34	6 30
Kingston	7 30	10 54	2 40	6 35
Plymouth Junction	....	....	....	.....
Plymouth	7 38	11 03	2 49	6 43
Avondale	7 42	.....	2 54	....
Nanticoke	7 45	11 11	2 58	6 51
Hunlock's	7 51	11 17	3 06	6 57
Shickshinny	8 01	11 29	3 20	7 13
Hick's Ferry	8 12	†11 43	3 30	....
Beach Haven	8 18	11 48	3 37	†7 28
Berwick	8 23	11 54	3 44	7 33
Briarcreek	8 28	.....	3 50	....
Willow Grove	8 31	....	3 54	....
Lime Ridge	8 34	†12 09	3 58	....
Espy	8 39	12 15	4 06	7 52
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 22	4 12	7 57
Rupert	8 49	12 27	4 17	8 01
Catawissa	8 54	12 32	4 22	8 05
Danville	9 09	12 47	4 38	8 20
Cauiasky	....	....	†4 42	.....
Cameron	9 21	12 57	4 48	....
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 35	1 10	5 00	8 45
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7.08	12.00	6.16	2.10	" P. & E.	8.49	2.42	6.37	
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6.40	11.33	5.49	1.30	Orangeville.	9.15	3.10	7.04	7.10
6.29	11.21	5.38	1.00	...Forks....	9.23	3.20	7.14	7.35
6.25	11.19	5.34	12.53	...Zaner's...	9.27	3.24	7.18	7.45
6.18	11.13	5.27	12.45	..Stillwater	9.33	3.30	7.23	8.00
6.08	11.05	5.17	12.37	...Benton..	9.43	3.40	7.33	8.20
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	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton(D & H)lv	6 45	9 38	12 18	4 27
Pittston " "	7 08	10 00	12 42	4 54
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Wilkesbarre..lv	7 30	10 35	1 3 08	5 00
Plym'th Ferry "	7 37	10 42	1 3 16	1 5 07
Nanticoke ..."	7 46	10 50	3 26	5 17
Mocanaqua..."	8 04	11 07	3 46	5 37
Wapwallopen.."	8 13	11 16	3 56	5 47
Nescopeck ..ar	8 24	11 26	4 07	5 00
	A. M.		A. M.	
Pottsville.....lv	5 50		11 55	
Hazleton ..."	7 05		12 48	
Tomhicken....."	7 22		1 03	
Fern Glen....."	7 29		1 10	
Rock Glen....."	7 34			
Nescopeck....ar	8 00		1 35	
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck.....lv	8 24	11 26	1 4 07	5 00
Creasy ..."	8 32	11 36	4 16	5 08
Espy Ferry..."	8 43	11 46	1 4 24	5 20
E. Bloomsburg"	8 47	11 50	4 29	5 25
		P. M.		
Catawissa....ar	8 55	11 57	4 35	5 32
Catawissa.....lv	8 55	11 57	4 35	5 32
S. Danville...."	9 14	12 15	4 53	5 51
Sunbury....."	9 35	12 40	5 15	6 15
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury.....lv	9 40	1 10	5 45	9 45
Lewisburg....ar	10 13	1 45	6 18	.....
Milton..... "	10 08	1 39	6 14	10 06
Williamsport.."	11 00	2 30	7 10	10 50
Lock Haven..."	11 59	3 40	8 07	.....
Renovo ..... "	A. M.	4 40	9 00	.....
Kane..... "	.....	8 25	.....	.....
	P. M.	P. M.		
Lock Haven...lv	12 10	13 45	.....	.....
Bellefonte.....ar	1 05	14 44	.....	.....
Tyrone..... "	2 15	16 00	.....	.....
Philipsburg.... "	4 41	18 26	.....	.....
Clearfield ..... "	5 37	19 09	.....	.....
Pittsburg ..... "	6 35	111 30	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury.....lv	9 50	1 55	5 25	8 31
Harrisburg....ar	11 30	3 15	6 55	10 10
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Philadelphia...ar	3 17	6 23	10 20	4 25
Baltimore....."	3 11	6 00	9 45	2 30
Washington..."	4 10	7 15	10 55	4 05
	A. M.	P. M.		
Sunbury lv	10 00	2 03	.....	.....
	P. M.			
Lewistown Jc ar	11 40	3 50	.....	.....
Pittsburg....."	6 55	11 30	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Harrisburg.....lv	11 45	3 45	7 15	10 25
			A. M.	A. M.
Pittsburg.....ar	6 55	11 30	1 50	5 30

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	P. M.	p. m	a. m.	a. m
Pittsburg.....lv	7 10	9 00	3 00	8 00
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.
Harrisburg.....ar	1 55	4 20	9 30	3 10
		a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
Pittsburg.....lv	.....	.....	... ..	8 00
				P. M.
Lewistown Jc."	.....	7 30		3 10
Sunbury..... ar	.....	9 20		5 00
	p. m.	A. M.	A. M.	a. m
Washington....lv	10 40	.....	7 50	10 50
Baltimore....."	11 41	4 45	8 40	11 45
Philadelphia..."	11 20	4 25	8 30	12 25
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Harrisburg.....lv	3 35	7 55	11 40	4 00
Sunbury.....ar	5 05	9 36	1 10	5 40
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M
Pittsburg.....lv	12 45	.....	8 00	8 00
Clearfield ....."	4 09	.....	.....	9 38
Philipsburg..."	4 56	.....	.....	10 12
Tyrone..... "	7 15	.....	8 10	12 15
Bellefonte....."	8 31	.....	9 32	1 20
Lock Haven...ar	9 30	.....	10 30	2 17
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Erie.....lv	5 35	.....	.....	.....
Kane..... "	8 40	.....	5 00	.....
Renovo..... "	12 40	6 45	10 30	.....
Lock Haven...."	1 25	7 35	11 25	3 00
	A. M.		P. M.	
Williamsport.."	2 10	8 30	12 40	4 00
Milton..... "	2 22	9 19	1 27	4 52
Lewisburg..... "	.....	9 05	1 15	4 47
Sunbury... .....ar	3 10	9 46	1 55	5 20
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M
Sunbury.....lv	6 50	9 55	2 06	5 48
S. Danville....."	7 13	10 17	2 21	6 09
Catawissa..... "	7 33	10 35	2 36	6 27
E. Bloomsburg"	7 39	10 43	2 43	6 32
Espy Ferry..... "	7 43	10 47		6 36
Creasy..... "	7 53	10 56	2 55	6 46
Nescopeck ....ar	8 03	11 05	3 05	6 55
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Nescopeck.....lv	8 35		5 15	7 05
Catawissa.....		10 38		
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Fern Glen..... "	9 01	11 28	5 41	7 34
Tomhicken....."	9 07	11 38	5 47	7 42
Hazleton ....."	9 24	11 58	6 03	8 05
Pottsville....."	10 15		6 55	
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Nescopeck lv	8 02	11 05	3 05	6 55
Wapwallopen.ar	8 16	11 20	3 19	7 09
Mocanaqua....."	8 26	11 32	3 29	7 21
Nanticoke ....."	8 47	11 54	3 48	7 42
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Plym'th Ferry "	8 57	12 02	3 57	7 52
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Pittston(D & H) ar	9 39	12 55	4 56	8 36
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THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1901.

Andrew Carnegie is making extensive donations for the establishment of institutions of learning in his native country, Scotland. He recently gave $10,000,000 for that purpose, and the rich and poor alike will share the benefits.

President McKinley has killed the boom that Senator Depew tried to launch for a third term. He says that he would not accept a nomination for a third term if given him. He is a wise man, and he knows that a third term candidate would never get through.

MR. IKELER SCORES THE MACHINE.

He uses Strong Language in the House, on the Passage of the Emery—Focht Railroad bill.

The Emery-Focht railroad bill was before the House last week, Wednesday. Representative Ikeler who is recognized as one of the ablest leaders of the Democratic side made the following speech:

"In rising to say a few words on this bill, I do not entertain the slightest hope that any weak words of mine can stem the tide of political profligacy that has swept over this chamber. But in opposing this measure I have at least the same consolation that animated the dying frame of England's greatest minister, who when crushed and defeated by a majority drunk with power; when carried from the scene of his legislative labors to rest upon the couch of death, exclaimed:—

"Thank God-The people will understand in time."

"Now, Mr. Speaker, if there is one among the majority party on this floor who has not lost his independence in this struggle for political power; if there is one who still dares to be master of his own opinions; if there is a stalwart Republican who appreciates the distinction between stalwartism and political slavery, I want to appeal to that man. This bill is framed to carry a false impression on its face. It is pretended that it will promote competition in railway service, when, in fact, it will create the greatest monopoly that the State has ever known. The corporations organized under this act will practically stake off our unoccupied highways and use them for barter and trade. They are given powers such as were never dreamed of before in any scheme of corporate legislation, and they need not make one cent of actual investment. In my limited time I cannot hope to discuss these bills, but, Mr. Speaker, I want to ask you this question: Was ever an honest measure passed as these will be passed? Did ever a righteous cause require such iniquitous support-conceived in secret, presented, reported and passed by a Senate whose proceedings have become-but I dare not say what they have become lest I offend against the rules of debate-reported into this body in the face and teeth of our standing rules and orders and by virtue of a ruling of the chair, which I must not question, but which, at least, was most peculiar; railroaded beyond all precedent, past or present, do they bear the earmarks of honest legislation?

"But as I said before, I cannot hope to convince you. Logic, reason, the law, the constitution, even the truth itself, is lost upon this floor. An ancient prophet of Israel once used strong language when he said: 'We have made a covenant with death and with hell; are we at an agreement? Of course, I would not dare to apply those words to this body, but, oh, sir, temptations do sometimes press a man. But I am glad you have reserved this measure to almost the last. In that at least you have been consistent.

"This is a fitting and final climax to all our outrageous work. With the passage of this bill you may well go back to your homes, for beyond the wickedness of your present action there is no iniquity under God's heaven possible of accomplishment."

His remarks created great excitement among the opposition, and efforts were made to get the Speaker to stop him. The bill was passed finally, and has been signed by the Governor. A number of charters have already been issued to the parties instrumental in procuring the legislation.

Democratic Primaries

No Contests, and Consequently No Interest Manifested at Saturday's Election.

The Vote Throughout the County Was Light

The Democratic primary election was held throughout Columbia county between the hours of three and seven o'clock, Saturday afternoon. The fact that the candidates for the various offices to be filled had no opposition, is the cause for the lack of interest displayed. It was probably one of the quietest primary elections that the Democracy of the county has ever conducted. The small number of candidates and the slim vote polled made it easy for the election boards, and it required only a few minutes for them to complete their work after the time for closing the polling places arrived.

The candidates voted for were as follows: Associate Judge, Hon. J. T. Fox; County Surveyor, Boyd Trescott; Delegates to the Democratic State Convention, William H. Henrie, J. K. Sharpless, W. P. Zehner, John C. Wenner and John K. Bittenbender.

THE CONVENTION.

The convention held forth in the Opera House on Tuesday. The meeting was called to order by County chairman, C. A. Small. The first in order was the selection of a temporary chairman. R. G. F. Kshinka was the only name proposed, and that gentleman immediately took the chair. W. A. Evert was selected as reading clerk, and John K. Bittenbender and George Clemens, secretaries. This completed the temporary organization and the convention was on. The lists of townships was read by W. A. Evert, the return judges at the same time presenting their returns. They were each presented with an order on the treasurer of the Standing Committee of the county covering the expenses of the election boards. This is an innovation and appears to be much better than the old system which delayed payment and compelled the election boards to wait for their remuneration.

There was very little of the enthusiasm which has marked good old Democratic conventions in the past, manifested but it was a Democratic gathering just the same. Following is a list of the return judges. They were not all present, the documents in some instances were handed in by substitutes.

Beaver—C. Z. Schlicher.
Benton Boro—B. G. Keller.
Benton Twp—Chas. Gibbons.
Berwick, N. E.—Wm. Mummy.
Berwick, S. E.—I. F. Chamberlin.
Berwick, N. W.—
Berwick, S. W.—Harry Grozier.
Bloomsburg 1s—W. W. Barrett, Jr.
Bloomsburg 2nd—Geo. Yost.
Bloomsburg 3rd—W. A. Evert.
Bloomsburg 4th—J. N. Wanich.
Briarcreek—R. G. F. Kshinka.
Catawissa Boro—M. V. B. Kline.
Catawissa Twp—Michael Fetterolf.
Centralia 1st—Jno. Langdon.
Centralia 2nd—Edward Cuff.
Cleveland—F. P. Small.
Conyngham E. N.—Michael Kane.
Conyngham W.—Neil McBride.
Conyngham S. W.—Jno. Monroe.
Conyngham S. E.—Wm. Kilker.
Wilburton No 2—Pat Gillespy.
Fishingcreek E.—Lewis Beishline.
Fishingcreek W.—J. I. Campbell.
Franklin—Wm. E. Hower.
Greenwood E.—Francis M. Welsh.
Greenwood W—Wesley Morris.
Hemlock—Jacob Harris.
Jackson—Jefferson Fritz.
Locust—Charles Miller.
Madison—Thomas W. Howell.
Main—Henry Berdbender.
Mifflin—W. F. Bachman.
Mifflinville—W. E. Johnson,
Montour—J. H. Mensch.
Mt. Pleasant—Boyd Ikeler.
Orange Boro.—E. W. Coleman.
Orange Twp.—Lloyd Oman.
Pine N.—C. R. Kinney.
Pine S.—Jos. Fenstemacher.
Scott E.—Wilson Wanich.
Scott W.—A. P. Howell.
Stillwater—A. S. McHenry.
Sugarloaf W.—Geo. B. Hummer.
Sugarloaf S.—W. A. Fritz.

A motion was made which was seconded and carried that the chair appoint a committee on resolutions, whereupon the following gentlemen were named: W. A. Evert, M. V. B. Kline, Charles Miller, Lewis Beishline and W. E. Hower.

The temporary organization on motion of Harry Grozier of Berwick, was made permanent, and the business of the convention proceeded undisturbed.

The vote cast was read and the candidates as noted above were declared the regular party nominees. The total vote was not more than eight hundred. At this juncture a recess was taken for dinner.

The afternoon sesssion came to order at two o'clock. The committee on resolutions reported the following:

Resolved, by the Democracy of Columbia county, in convention assembled, that we have abiding faith in the wisdom and foresight of the founders of the great principles of the Democratic party when they inscribed in living characters in their declaration of rights that all men are born free and equal and among certain inalienable rights are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, and that to secure these rights governments are instituted among men deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, which for over a century have been accepted by the people of this great republic as a fundamental truth, is the keynote of all independence, the inspiration of all human progress and the guiding star of liberty; that we deplore and view with alarm the present tendency of our government and many of our citizens as well, to sacrifice these accepted traditions and sacred principles of this Republic at the shrine of expediency and selfish greed.

Resolved, That we do hereby congratulate the people of Pennsylvania for the partial protection from vicious legislation given to them by the few but honest and earnest legislators in the Senate and House of Representatives, whom neither the blandishments of pseudo friends nor the threats and bribes of the enemy could seduce from their allegiance of trusting constituents and the fundamental law of the Commonwealth; that while this little band of legislators could not prevent the enactment of some measures destined to diminish the liberties of the people, to foster corruption in high places, and to give added power, wealth and colossal combinations; that their zeal in behalf of wise legislation and their fidelity to the high trust imposed upon them have earned commendation of every loyal Democrat and of every lover of decency, honesty and integrity, in the entire Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, without regard to party affiliations.

Resolved, That the people of Columbia county are to be congratulated in a special manner for the able, honest and consistent course of Honorables J. Henry Cochran, Senator of the 24th Senatorial district, William T. Creasy and Fred T. Ikeler, Members of the Legislature, who have not violated the pledges made to their constituents and whose every action as lawmakers was guided by the most scrupulous regard to the sanctity of their oaths of office. The performance of ordinary duty does not entitle one to special commendation, but when the performance entails self martyrdom, threatens to disrupt the ties of friendly associations and subjects one to the severe discipline of a triumphant enemy and to the gibes of former friends, turned renegades, then it becomes an act of heroism justly entitled to a signal mark of approbation.

Therefore, as Senator and Representatives, J. Henry Cochran, William T. Creasy and Fred T. Ikeler, have performed their legislative duties with skill, intelligence and ability, they have the thanks of all good citizens, without regard to party affiliations, of the entire Commonwealth.

Resolved, That we condemn the work of the Republican Legislature at Harrisburg, and recognize in the proceedings of the majority party there, the most villainous acts that have ever been enacted by any body in the world, by their methods in passing laws, dictated by those who control legislation, which is passed for their private gain, as for example, the trolley line system, etc. We denounce such legislation as being unconstitutional, un-American, subversive of the just and legal rights of the people, and utterly indefensible anywhere, except where the conscience to decide may be influenced by the same powers that control a superserviceable party of legislators.

Resolved, That we denounce the vicious legislation passed and the great haste in which it was put through by a boss-ridden Legislature, whereby the people were deprived of their constitutional rights of being heard by petition, address, or remonstrances.

We, therefore, insist that the Democratic Convention, when assembled in state conference, shall demand the repeal of this Ripper legislation, and that to secure such repeal, together with an honest system of ballot reform, which shall pledge the Democracy of Pennsylvania to unite its efforts with those of all reputable and liberty-loving citizens of this Commonwealth, and we commend Chief Justice J. B. McCollum and Justices Jno. Dean and S. B. Mestrezat, of the Supreme Court of the State, for the firm stand they have taken for the preservation of the rights and liberation of the people as set forth in their dissenting opinion filed in the Ripper case.

Resolved, That we condemn the present tax system in Pennsylvania, which, in 1892, was $30,000,000, and in 1899, $44,000,000, an increase of 46 per cent. in six years; because it is becoming more and more burdensome on the farmers and real estate owners of the state, we, therefore, ask for a revision of our revenue system, whereby all kinds of property shall pay its just proportion.

Resolved, That we condemn the action of all parties concerned in instituting and prosecuting the unwarranted proceedings to remove a county official from office who had committed no crime or wrong, and because the County Treasurer and other County Commissioners were threatened by the same informant.

That the people of Columbia County have cause to congratulate themselves on account of fact that the Supreme Court has put a stop to this kind of malicious prosecutions founded on malice.

The county officials will again be permitted to perform their duties according to law and to the best of their judgment and ability as the oath they have taken requires them to do.

Resolved, That we endorse the course of Hon. R. K. Polk in the Congress of the United States.

It is gratifying to the people of the Seventeenth Congressional District to be represented in the highest legislative body of the nation by a man so able and well qualified to meet and discharge the duties of a Representative.

Resolved, That we recognize in the Hon. James M. Guffey, National Committeeman from Pennsylvania, a leader of the people whose counsel may be received and whose advice can be followed unfalteringly.

Resolved, That we appreciate the honor conferred upon Columbia county by the Democracy of Pennsylvania in the selection of Hon. William T. Creasy, Member of the Legislature, as State Chairman of the Democratic party, and we pledge to him our united support.

Resolved, That we recognize the unselfish efforts of our County Chairman, C. A. Small, Esq., who, in the late presidential campaign, succeeded in effecting such an organization as to secure the largest percentage of the Dmocratic vote of any county in the State.

Resolved, That whereas the candidate for Associate Judge, Hon. James T. Fox, and Boyd Trescott, Esq., candidate for County Surveyor, this day nominated for a re-election have performed their duties of their respective offices with honesty and fidelity. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we commend them to the voters of Columbia county and solicit for them a united support, irrespective of party.

Bloomsburg, Pa., June 11th, 1901.

After the convention proper adjourned, the standing committee held a meeting at which R. G. F. Kshinka presided. The list of committemen was read and responded to as follows:

Beaver—J. E. Klingaman.
Benton Borough—H. O. McHenry.
Benton Township—G. W. Knouse.
Berwick, S. W.—Harry Grozier.
Berwick, N. E.—George Clemens.
Bloomsburg, 1st—John G. Harman.
Bloomsburg, 2nd—John Gross.
Bloomsburg, 3rd—J. K. Bittenbender.
Briarcreek—R. G. F. Kshinka, sub.
Catawissa Borough—G. B. Rhawn.
Centralia, 1st—Thomas Quigley.
Centralia, 2nd—Tim Cain.
Cleveland—Haines Yost.
Conyngham, S. W.—Peter Metzinger.
Fishingcreek, W.—J. C. Campbell.
Franklin—Jonathan Loreman.
Greenwood, E.—Alfred Freas.
Greenwood, W.—M. B. Hauck.
Hemlock—Sam Girton.
Locust—C. W. Miller, substitute.
Main—W. P. Zahner.
Mifflin—Alfred Andreas, substitute.
Millville Borough—Samuel Demott.
Mt. Pleasant—Frank Dallman.
Orange—R. H. Bardo.
Scott, W.—R. C. Johnson.
Stillwater—M. W. McHenry.
Sugarloaf, N.—M. C. Birmingham.
Sugarloaf, S.—J. M. Lariah.
Wilburton—Dennis Joyce.

The matter of the election of a County Chairman, which was the first and principal business of the meeting was quickly disposed of, C. A. Small being re-elected unanimously. Mr. Small is the right man in the right place and his re-election to the office which he has so ably filled for the past two years, will give satisfaction to every true Democrat.

Attention of the County Chairman was called to the recreant action of a Democratic election officer of the Second Ward, this town, in having cast his ballot for Republican candidates at the last presidential election. He appointed an investigating committee, composed of John Gross, George Clemens, and John G. Harman, with power to remove if they deem proper.

John G. Harman, R. G. F. Kshinka, W. H. Heurie, C. E. Randall and W. B. Snyder were appointed a committee to revise rules of the party relative to the authority of the Standing Committee to certify nominations, in cases, as the present year, where there was no opposition to the candidates, and thus save the expenses of the convention. This committee to make its report at the next annual convention.

LONGEST CABLE IN THE WORLD.

Work Begun on Great Britain's New Line From Canada to Australia.

The State Department is in receipt of interesting information concerning work on the British Pacific telegraph cable, which is to connect the Dominion of Canada with the Australian Confederation. The new cable is to be 5,834½ miles in length—the longest ever constructed—and will be transported and laid by one ship, which is now being built for that purpose.

The Cable will run from Vancouver Island to Fanning Island, which lies south of Hawaii, a distance of 3,337 miles, before a landing is effected. Thence it will be laid to the Fijis, to Norfolk Island and then to Queensland.

Work on the cable proper already has been commenced in England, and the first installment, which will be for the route from Fanning Island on to Australla, is expected to leave England in January of 1902.

The whole cable is to be laid and in operation by January 1, 1903. It will cost $10,000,000.

A law, to which Governor Stone has just affixed his signature, permits a person arrested for infractions in the nature of disorderly conduct to give bail. This is tough on the over-zealous ward policemen who hook a star on their coats one night each week, and play hide and seek in the alley to arrest some inoffensive citizen as he goes by for walking too heavy, or whistling too loud. The motive for such arrest is invariably mercenary, and not in the interest of law and good order.

The game commission bill, relating to the sale of game in Pennsylvania, as amended, permits the sale of game killed within the state; permits game killed outside the state to be sold in Pennsylvania during the open season and fifteen days thereafter, and prohibits the killing of more than one male deer during the season.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office June 25, 1901. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised June 11, 1901":

R. A. Goss, Mr. M. L. Creasy.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

O. B. MELLICK, P. M.

Eczema

How it reddens the skin, itches, oozes, dries and scales!

Some people call it tetter, milk crust or salt rheum.

The suffering from it is sometimes intense; local applications are resorted to—they mitigate, but cannot cure.

It proceeds from humors inherited or acquired and persists until these have been removed.

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positively removes them, has radically and permanently cured the worst cases, and is without an equal for all cutaneous eruptions.

Hood's PILLS are the best cathartic. Price 25 cents.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine **Laxative Bromo-Quinine** Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Townsend's

FREE EXCURSION

To The Buffalo Exposition.

Every purchaser of one dollar's worth of goods at Townsend's Clothing Store will give the buyer a chance to go to the Buffalo Exposition free.

The lucky holder of No. 132 was Joseph Kashner, of Bloomsburg, who will go to Buffalo.

We have opened a new series for the month of June. The drawing will take place on July 1st.

We are offering big inducements in

SPRING GOODS

Our styles are always correct. Our prices always right. "Fair Dealing" is our way of doing business at

Townsend's

CLOTHING HOUSE.

A BACKWARD SEASON.

Yes, but do you know what a backward season means to you who have much of your summer outfit to buy. In the first place it means that much of the early buying of an ordinary season has to be crowded into a much shorter space of time. It means that big bright stocks of dependable summer merchandise will be put under price pressure to move them quickly.

It means that makers and makers' agents must dispose of their surplus, minus profit, and much of it means all these economies for you, don't you think it will pay you to "Watch Out" for the bargains that this store offers.

Tailor Made Suits Must Move.

Good for present wear, good to travel in, good for fall and winter wear, and prices to produce quick selling results.

$12.73 suits reduced to $9.98.

$7.29 suits reduced to $5.98.

Ribbon.

There has never been such a chance to buy all Silk Ribbon in Bloomsburg as we offer now. No. 40 Ribbon at 25c. a yard.

Women's Jersey Ribbed Vests.

These are summer weights. Prices are next to nothing on the cheaper sorts. The better grades won't bankrupt you, either, if you buy now.

Ladies' and children's vests at 5c.

Ladies' Vests at 10c.

Men's Shirts and Drawers at 25c.

Boys' Shirts and Drawers at 25c.

To Crowd the Wash Goods Section.

Never owned a better stock, in fact never owned as good and complete a stock of bright, crisp summer wash fabrics as now. You'll be glad to own many of them ere the week's done at these prices.

15c. Lawns reduced to 12½c.
35c. " " " 25c.

Those Pongees that make up as nice as silk 25c.

Men's Negligee Shirts.

Bought largely of these and bought to good advantage. These stylish up-to-date outing shirts will cost you about the price of bare material. Special value at 49c.

Furniture.

This furniture business of ours shows steady and rapid growth. Reason: We sell good furniture and at a less price than you can buy anywhere. Fancy Rockers, Extension Tables, Bed Room Suits, Side Boards, Couches, Parlor Tables.

Our June Sale of Ladies' Muslin Underwear will begin June 12. Watch for hand bill.

F. P. PURSEL.

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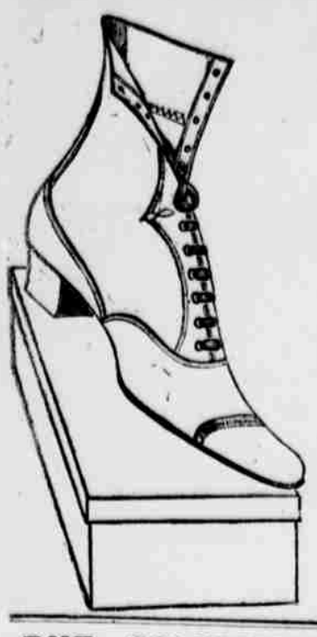

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Name Stamped on Every Shoe.
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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1901

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

PICTURESQUE BLOOMSBURG.

Contains nearly one hundred pictures of the town and vicinity. It is bound in silk, with stiff cover, at $1.00; and in flexible cover. at 75 cents. Only a limited number have been printed. Those who desire a copy should secure it now. Do not wait too long, as the edition is more than half sold now. Published and for sale at THE COLUMBIAN OFFICE next door to Bloomsburg National Bank. Entrance through Roys' Jewelry Store. tf

Roses are beginning to bloom.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

Soft shell crabs on toast are a delicacy.

Judge Little held Court in Danville this week.

Some June days are rare, while some are positively raw.

A new crossing is being placed at Main and Leonard street.

For books, of all kinds, go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

DeForest Hummer is clerking at the D. Lowenberg clothing store.

For Croquet Sets, from 85c. to $2.25, go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Oak Grove will need some cleaning up before it will be a desirable place to hold pic-nics.

Take your bike to the Bloomsburg Cycle Works, rear of Moore's store, for all repairs.

Trimmed hats in late styles greatly reduced in price at E. Barkley's. Call and secure bargains. 129 West Main street. 13-2t

It is likely that the annual picnic of the Bloomsburg Silk Mill employees will be held at Indian Park near Shamokin this season.

S. P. Wolverton, Esq., of Sunbury, has been appointed a trustee of the Danville Insane Asylum, in place of Chas. Chalfant, removed.

There will be an Ice Cream and Strawberry Festival at Almedia Pa., Saturday afternoon and evening June 15, 1901. Proceeds for U. Ev. Church.

Telephone.

FISHING TACKLE.

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Have just received a large assortment of fine fishing tackle. Everything of the

Latest Pattern
—AND—
Highest Grade.

Rods from $1.25 to $5.50
Reels from 75c. to $2.00.
Lines from 10c. to $2.00
Flies, a Full Assortment.
Hooks, all Styles.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

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W. S. Rishton, Ph. G.
Ent Building. Pharmacist

Hammocks—many styles and many prices—at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

J. G. Quick, the coal dealer, is out with a splinter new delivery wagon. It is from Eves Bros.' factory, Millville.

Get your paunacea for your little chicks and lice powder to kill the lice, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Town lots for sale, on easy terms. Bloomsburg Land Improvement Co. Inquire of Sanderson Woods, sales agent. N. U. Funk, Sec'y. Office, Ent Building. (4 25

The Bloomsburg High School took the Shamokin High School boys into camp at Athletic Park Saturday afternoon. The locals are putting up a good article of ball just now. Score, 8 to 4.

Invitations are out announcing the wedding of Miss Nellie Harder, of Muskegon, Michigan, to Mr. Percy Angle, of Danville. It will occur at the home of the former's parents, Wednesday, June 26.

The Winona Fire Company, at a meeting held Friday evening, decided to contest for the prize on the Fourth of July. Fifteen running suits have been ordered and the team is now in training.

"From grave to gay, from lively to severe," may not be just the adjectives to apply to the weather, but they will serve to express the changeable nature of the climate as served to us this month.

Many farmers, whose grain was damaged by the hail and wind storm two weeks ago, are feeding the same to their stock. They say it would cost more to harvest it than they could realize from it.

John G. Harman, Esq., has purchased a strip of land twelve feet wide on the west side of his residence from Mrs. Sarah Evans, and added it to his lot. It extends back the full depth of the lot to the alley.

Hurley Mordan had the second finger of his right hand cut off on a buzz saw, at the Hawley-Slate Furniture Factory, Tuesday morning. He had started to work at the factory only the day before the accident.

The farmers of Columbia and lower Luzerne counties will picnic at Grasmere Park, Thursday, August 8th. Able speakers have been secured. This is the ninth annual event. Last season's picnic was largely attended.

Geo. W. Bowes, of Locust township, is the owner of a freak in the shape of a calf. The animal is greatly deformed, one leg is eight inches shorter than the other three. It can walk forward apparently easy enough, but is greatly hindered in any other movement.

Miss Sadie Vannatta has been appointed agent for the various insurance companies formerly represented by the late C. F. Knapp. Miss Vannatta was Mr. Knapp's secretary, and is thoroughly acquainted with the business.

Quite a surprise to his numerous friends was the announcement of the engagement of William Lowenberg, to Miss Julia Kaufman, which was made last Thursday. The bride elect is a resident of Frankfort, Germany, and is a sister of Mrs. Samuel Dreifus, of Milton. The COLUMBIAN extends felicitations.

The frame building on Market Square that has seen so many buiness ventures fail under its roof, will no longer change tenants so frequently as heretofore. It has been changed into an Automobile stable where E. B. Tustin and George Low house their machines when not in use. It has been fitted up with water to fill the tanks, a wash-bowl and other conveniences.

Base ball gloves, of all kinds, base ball bats, and all base ball goods, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Susquehanna was indescribably weak at every point in the ball game against the Normal School Saturday afternoon. There must be a dearth of material at the institution, or else the men were overdeveloped. In but one inning did the Normal fail to score. Result: Normal, 29, Susquehanna, 6.

The members of Zion congregation will hold an ice cream festival in Mr. E. M. Laubach's grove, at Forks, on Saturday evening, June 29th. If it should be stormy on that date it will be held on the succeeding Monday evening. All the delicacies of the season will be served, and all are cordially invited.

Friday's Shickshinny *Echo* notes the serious illness of Mrs. Charles Moss, at the home of her father, Frank Lewis, Fairmount Springs. She and her husband had only recently returned from a protracted stay in Arizona. Mrs. Moss spent the winter of 1898 in Bloomsburg, and during that time made many friends who will be sorry to hear of her illness.

At the reunion of the Sixth Pennsylvania Reserves at Round Top, Gettysburg, last week, addresses were delivered by Major H. H. Gore, of Athens, W. W. Johnson, Philadelphia, Col. J. W. Miller, Baltimore, and Mrs. M. E. Ent, of Bloomsburg. Her husband, the late Gen. W. H. Ent, was the colonel of the regiment.

Frank Weir met with instant death near his home in Williamsport Saturday night. He was returning home from seeing his sweetheart, in the southern part of the city, and dashed down the steep approach to the Market street river bridge, directly in front of a Philadelphia & Reading train. The young man, by reason of his frequent visits, was quite well known in Bloomsburg.

Do you want a good second-hand bicycle? If so, go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store. One ladies' wheel, $9.00, with new tires; one gent's wheel, style, Sentinel, a bargain at $11.00; one gent's wheel, style, Reading, for $11.00; one high grade Columbia wheel, gent's, for $9.50; one Reading Special, with coaster brake, for $16.50. New last year; one Crescent tandem for $25.00.

The Normal *Quarterly* for June was issued on Tuesday. It is an attractive number. Prof. J. H. Dennis is the managing editor. The introduction of illustrated articles is a new feature, and this is making the magazine more popular than ever. The *Quarterly* is issued four times a year, each number containing about forty pages. The subscription price is only 25 cents a year, and every old Normal student in town should be a subscriber.

Contractor Thomas B. Gorrey had the thumb of his right hand painfully bruised Thursday afternoon. He was assisting some of his workmen in moving a heavy timber at the overhead bridge which is being erected for the new trolley line at Willow Grove, when the blocks suddenly gave way and the heavy weight dropped on Mr. Gorrey's hand. He was brought home in a carriage and the wounds dressed by Dr. Gardner.

Notwithstanding the very bad weather he had to contend with M. I. Hennessy, of Bloomsburg, completed, this week, one of the finest jobs of artificial stone paving ever put down here, in front of the new Post Office Building, for Chas. Haas. The work includes steps, coping and side walls in addition to the regular pavement, and is a fitting testimonial of Mr. Hennessy's proficiency in this line of business. He has contracts for several other jobs which he will advance as rapidly as possible.—*Berwick Independent.*

A force of workmen started this morning to tear down the warehouse in the rear of F. P. Pursel's store on Market St. The structure is to be replaced by a new forty by sixty-foot building. This will afford an opportunity for Mr. Pursel to properly display his stock of furniture and other merchandise, which for the past several years, owing to lack of space, he has been compelled to keep on the third story, which was, owing to the construction of the building, quite inaccessable and hard to show to any advantage. The new building will be two stories high and will extend from the rear end of the store back to C. W. McKelvey's property.

Envelopes, paper, tablets, box paper and all stationery, at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

PURELY PERSONAL

J. L. Moyer went to Philadelphia on Thursday.

Matthew McReynolds of Hazleton, spent Sunday in town with his parents.

Rohr McHenry, of Benton, was among the visitors to town Thursday last.

Mrs. B. A. Gidding and little daughter are visiting her parents at Mt. Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild, of Bridgeport, Conn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Wirt.

Mrs Alice Vial of Leonard street, went to Philadelphia to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Miss Mame Kenney, of Ashland, has been a guest at the home of John F. Kelley the past week.

Will Bachman, of Shamokin, was a Sunday visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bachman.

Mrs. Patrick McFadden and family will in the future make their home in Wilkes-Barre. They moved to that city on Friday.

Prof. Geo. E. Wilbur, W. S. Rishton and Ex-Sheriff W. W. Black, attended United States Court at Williamsport this week as jurors.

Harry J. Achenbach, teller at the Farmers National Bank, was taken quite ill on Saturday and has been confined to the house ever since.

Carl Brown spent Sunday with his parents in town. He is a traveling salesman for the Armour Beef Co., and is stationed at Olean, N. Y.

Mrs. W. K. Armstrong and daughter, Miss Martha of Milton, are spending two weeks with the former's mother, Mrs. Hassert on Catharine street.

Mrs. Harry Gemberling and son Rexford, of Selinsgrove, returned to their home Sunday evening after spending three weeks in town with relatives.

A. H. Edgar, of the Benton "Argus," gave our office a call while in town Monday afternoon. He is receiving felicitations over the arrival of a baby girl at his home Friday evening.

Harry Keller is at home from Lafayette College for his summer vacation. He is a member of the Glee, Mandolin and Guitar Club of that college, and visited many cities with the organization the past winter.

Arthur Roan has resigned his position at the D. Lowenberg store, and will enter W. C. McKinney's shoe store on Monday. R. Frank Colley, who has been in Mr. McKinney's employ for several years past, has given up the position.

Oliver Watts, of Middletown, Pa., attended the Barton-Peacock nuptials on Wednesday. While here he called on his many friends, all of whom were glad to see him. Oliver is a most genial fellow, and we are glad to know that he is prospering.

J. B. Rinard died at his home near Shickshinny Friday, after a brief illness, with pneumonia. He was aged nearly fifty years. The survivors are a wife and five children, Mrs. C. R. Miller, of Shickshinny; Mrs F. M. Miller and Miss Mame Rinard, of Philadelphia; Miss Ollie B. Rinard, of Wilkes-Barre, and Mrs. F. B. Ringrose, of this town.

A few weeks ago we published an article from the Philadelphia *Press* headed "Why Men do not go to Church." It gave these two reasons why so few men attend Church: that they do not get what they want from the pulpit, and the femininity of the hymns. Is it a fact that men do not go to church? and, if so, are the reasons above given a sufficient explanation of the cause? We would like to hear from the clergymen of the town and county on this subject. It is a good one totalk about.

GRAY

STREAKS

Why let all your neighbors and friends think you must be twenty years older than you are? Yet it's impossible to look young with the color of 70 years in the hair. It's sad to see young persons look prematurely old in this way. Sad because it's all unnecessary; for gray hair may always be restored to its natural color by using—

Ayer's Hair Vigor

For over half a century this has been the standard hair preparation. It is an elegant dressing; stops falling of the hair; makes the hair grow; and cleanses the scalp from dandruff.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"I have been using Ayer's Hair Vigor for over 20 years and I can heartily recommend it to the public as the best hair tonic in existence."
Mrs. G. L. ALDRESON,
April 24, 1899. Ector, Tex.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

CLARKS'.

June White Sale.

We offer you, this month, the most complete lines of all kinds of White Materials, for your own or house use, and at prices to please. White Dress Materials, Ribbons, Laces, Counterpanes, Linens, Curtains, Parasols, in fact, all kinds of White Goods. You should see this offering and prices.

WHITE DRESS MATERIALS.

All kinds, all styles.
45 in. Swiss, 15c. a yard.
White Checks, 7c. a yard.
45 in. White French Lawns, 37 to 70c. a yard.
India Linens, 10c. to 40c. a yard.
40 in. Lawns, 12, 14 and 17c. a yard.
White Organdy, French Muslins, Nainsooks, Longcloths, &c.

COUNTERPANES.

Hemmed and fringed, all ready for use. 75c, $1.00, 1.31, 1.58, 2.00, 2.50, 3.50. Not a poor one in the lot. You should see them.

RIBBONS.

All kinds, all widths, and the new Sash Ribbons are here. Velvet Ribbons, in all widths. We place on sale, this week, several big bargains in Ribbons. See them.

WASH DRESS GOODS.

Never before have we shown such a collection of Wash Goods.
Dotted Swiss Muslins, Batiste and Fine Dimities, now at 15c. yard.
Pongees at 22c. a yard.
35c. Foulards, at 25c. yd.
Ducks, at 15c. a yard.

FANS, PARASOLS.

Big lines, all kinds. See them.

JUNE SALE UNDERMUSLINS.

Big lines of ladies' Undermuslins, made in clean and healthy work-rooms. Cut full, made good, of good materials. You should see this offering of Undermuslins. Many ladies bought these goods the past week.
Drawers, 25c. to $1.25.
Night Dresses, 44c. to $2.75.
Corset Covers, 18c to $1.54.
Skirts, 50c. to $3.00.
A special Cambric Skirt, with two rows lace insertion and lace ruffle, at $1.00.
A Corset Cover, big value, Cambric, 39c.
One price—cash.

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Perfect fit,
Unrivaled
In Style,
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For Durability.

The only make of Rubber Shoes and Boots in the world that will stand this test of elasticity and strength. For sale by

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Jewelry Wisdom.

It certainly is far from wise to buy Jewelry wherever you see Jewelry for sale.

The imitation looks like the genuine at first.

The wise way is to come right to us, then you'll know precisely what you're buying. You'll be sure you have your money's worth.

An additional safeguard is we GUARANTEE EVERYTHING to be as represented.

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Life Crushed Out by a Chemical Engine.

ANOTHER STUDENT BADLY INJURED.

Small Fire at Cambridge Results In a Serious Affair—Fire Company's Driver Accused of Malicious Intent—Crew Nearly Mobbed.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 12.—H. S. Bigelow, a Harvard freshman of Buffalo, was killed by a chemical engine at a fire last night. Another student was injured. The students nearly mobbed the engine crew.

Bigelow belonged in Buffalo and had come to Harvard from Exeter, where he had been a prominent student and class poet. His parents are dead, but his aunt and grandmother live in Buffalo.

A fire was found among a pile of boards near the Harvard architectural building by one of the Harvard professors. An alarm was run in, but before the firemen responded Professor Hollis and students had put out the fire. The alarm, as usual, caused the undergraduates to assemble, and as the firemen drove up there was much jeering. The chemical engine was very late, and the crowd hooted the men.

The accident is described differently, the firemen claiming that the horses on the engine became excited at the howling crowd and dashed forward, scattering the crowd. The students claim that the driver, John Dowdis, deliberately drove his engine into the students, Bigelow being caught under the wheels. Other students were knocked down, but only one had any injuries to speak of. As soon as the students realized what had happened they made a wild demonstration. But cool heads maintained control, and the firemen were allowed to return to their stations.

Driver Dowdis is prostrated by the accident. It cannot be determined at present on whom the blame for the accident lies. The wheels passed over Bigelow's body, crushing his lower chest.

Y. M. C. A. In Boston.

BOSTON, June 12.—A sea of upturned faces greeted President Edwin L. Shuey of Dayton, O., as he called to order the great international jubilee convention of the Young Men's Christian association in Mechanics' building yesterday. Those faces were for the most part strange to Boston. From all over the globe the delegates had come, bringing with them individual enthusiasm in the great work for young men, and that enthusiasm, grown mighty in its unison, made the scene before President Shuey one that was powerfully effective. The big hall was radiant with color, while standards on the floor told the location of state delegations and the seats of distinguished men from other countries and lands. The opening exercises were quite brief and to the point, President Shuey not making any preliminary remarks. The afternoon service was held in Trinity church, and Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. D., of New York preached the sermon. William E. Dodge of New York presided at the evening meeting in Mechanics' hall.

Severe Storm at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, June 12.—A terrific electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind and heavy rain, passed over this section last evening, doing much damage to property and causing at least one death. When the storm reached Homestead, Francis Morris, aged 17 years, and his sister, Minnie, aged 14, were in the yard of their uncle's home on Seventeenth avenue. The house was struck by lightning, and the current took its course along a wire clothesline reaching from the house to a fence 80 feet distant, where young Morris was standing. The boy was instantly killed and his sister badly shocked and hurt by falling bricks. The same bolt struck three other houses in the vicinity, shattering them, but resulting in no other fatalities. At McKeesport the Baptist mission, a frame building, was blown from its foundations into the street and had to be torn to pieces to clear the thoroughfare.

Violent Electrical Storm.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—A violent storm of thunder, lightning and heavy rain broke over Cleveland and vicinity yesterday, causing considerable interruption to telegraph and telephone wires, with other minor property damage. There was little or no wind. The telegraph lines west were all cut off between Cleveland and Toledo. Lightning struck a street car on Bank street, tore a hole in the roof and set the car on fire. The passengers were panic stricken.

Snow In North Dakota.

JAMESTOWN, N. D., June 7.—Snow fell heavily yesterday throughout the central and northern portions of North Dakota. At Jamestown snow fell for two hours. A similar state of affairs is reported in towns on the Jamestown Northern railroad. The snow quickly melted. The oldest settlers cannot recall a similar occurrence in June.

Illinois Trial Today.

BOSTON, June 12.—The battleship Illinois will be sent over the Cape Ann course today on her official speed trial, and President Orcutt of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock company is confident that all records for American battleships will be broken. The requirement is 16 knots, but the figure of 17.25 is looked for.

Remedy Worse Than Disease.

SALEM, Mass., June 11.—Alexander J. Pride of this city applied three gallons of naphtha to some articles of clothing and to his parlor carpet to destroy moths and then, going to the kitchen, attempted to light a fire. The explosion which followed wrecked the building, injured Pride, damaged surrounding property and caused a fire.

Balloons For Baldwin.

QUINCY, Ills., June 12.—Packed in hermetically sealed cans 40 balloons have been shipped to Tromso, Norway, where the outfit will be added to the equipment of the Baldwin-Zeigler north pole expedition. These balloons are not to be used for carrying passengers, but to mark the path of the expedition.

Government Crop Report.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Preliminary reports of the spring wheat acreage indicate a reduction of about 1,200,000 acres, or 6.4 per cent. Of the 20 states reporting 10,000 acres or upward in spring wheat eight report an increase aggregating about 34,000 acres and 12 a decrease amounting to about 1,235,000.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

A snowstorm occurred in Scotland.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall landed at Auckland.

The Philippine commission passed an act organizing the courts.

The capital of a plow trust being formed at Chicago was reported at $75,000,000.

Lord Kitchener reported the surrender of Commandant Van Rensburg at Pietersburg.

The Academy of Music at Kingston, N. Y., with its contents, was completely destroyed by fire.

Adrian, Minn., was visited by a destructive tornado, which did damage estimated at several thousand dollars.

Tuesday, June 11.

Boston's new elevated railway system was opened.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall reached Auckland, New Zealand.

Chief Justice Charles B. Andrews of the Connecticut supreme court resigned.

The American team of trap shooters achieved poor scores in practice in England.

The battleship Illinois reached Boston and is to have a trial trip during the week.

An internal revenue decision was announced to tax outside brokers dealing in puts and calls.

An accident to one of their number caused a panic among 200 girls in a factory at South River, N. J.

Monday, June 10.

Harvest prospects in southern Russia were reported excellent.

The Grand Steeplechase de Paris at Auteuil was won by Calabrais.

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the imperial council of the Mystic Shrine opened in Kansas City.

The transport Hancock arrived at San Francisco from Manila with 31 officers and 1,042 enlisted men of the Thirty-first volunteer infantry.

President Harper of the University of Chicago announced that the university had begun to establish affiliated preparatory schools in different parts of Europe.

Saturday, June 8.

Nineteen rounds were fought in a Paris duel without result.

The Klondike spring clean up of gold was estimated at $15,000,000.

Sarah Bernhardt agreed to play Romeo to the Juliet of Maude Adams.

Silliman hall, the new Y. M. C. A. building, was dedicated at Union college.

Drs. Novy and Freer of Ann Arbor, Mich., reported the discovery of new antiseptics.

J. D. Rockefeller's $200,000 gift was acknowledged by the American Medical association.

Mrs. McKinley's condition was declared unchanged. No evidence of blood poisoning was found.

J. P. Morgan's picture, the Gainsborough Duchess of Devonshire, was inspected by King Edward.

Lawyer Benjamin Adams, who was arrested for playing golf on Sunday, was acquitted by a Yonkers (N. Y.) jury.

Friday, June 7.

Major George Arthur, U. S. A., died at Cleveland.

Horace Pell, a New Yorker, attempted suicide in Cleveland.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall left Sydney for Auckland.

George W. Bentley, a New York railroad man, killed himself at Norwich, Conn.

Senator Mark Hanna was appointed a colonel by the commander in chief of the G. A. R.

The ocean liner Assyrian was wrecked on the rocks of Cape Race. No lives were lost.

Governor Wells of Utah married Miss Kate, formerly a Salt Lake City newspaper woman.

The coldest June weather in 20 years, with killing frosts, was reported in Oregon and Idaho.

A mirror for the Lick observatory expedition to the southern hemisphere was broken at Pittsburg.

Thursday, June 6.

Major General Chaffee has reached Manila from China.

Turkey has paid the French claims for Armenian massacres.

A powder magazine at the Mare Island navy yard exploded. No lives were lost.

Five French fishing boats, with 117 men, are thought to have sunk off Iceland.

Mrs. McKinley's physicians reported her general condition as "somewhat improved."

Delegates to the National Association of Manufacturers at Detroit urged foreign reciprocity.

The Consolidated Tobacco company, with an authorized capital of $30,000,000, has been incorporated at Trenton.

At Antwerp several wings of the royal entrepot, stored with wool, jute and lard, and the customs house adoining were burned. Eight firemen were hurt.

Ancient Landmark Destroyed.

BAYFIELD, Wis., June 11.—The old Catholic church at La Pointe, Madeline island, has been totally destroyed by fire. The church was an ancient landmark and had been visited by hundreds of tourists annually. The original church was built in 1835 by Father Baraga and rebuilt at a later date. It contained an ancient painting, "The Descent From the Cross," which Indian tradition says was a gift to the La Pointe mission in 1669 by Father Marquette. It is the opinion of some that the picture was stolen and the church set on fire to cover up the loss.

They Cooked a Cartridge.

ROCHESTER, June 11.—Albert and Augusta Wilhardt, aged respectively 11 and 5 years, found a "funny piece of brass with a lead end" on the sidewalk in front of their home on Lincoln park yesterday and proceeded to cook it in the kitchen stove. The cartridge exploded, injuring the two children severely. Albert will lose a hand. Augusta will probably carry a fragment of the bullet in her shoulder for some time.

Noted Novelists Dead.

LONDON, June 11.—Two well known authors have just died. One was Sir Walter Besant, M. A., F. S. A.; the other was Robert William Buchanan. Sir Walter Besant died at his residence in Hampstead after a fortnight's illness from influenza. Two of his sons are fighting in South Africa. One is a captain in the Warwickshire and the other a trooper in the imperial yeomanry. Sir Walter was born at Portsmouth in June, 1838.

THE FRENCH SOLDIER

SOME OF THE BRUTALITIES TO WHICH HE IS SUBJECTED.

Hazings and Other Punishments Which Sometimes End In the Victim's Death That Are Winked at, If Not Ordered, by the Officers.

Soldiers in the French army are not subjected by law to corporal punishment any more than it has been a part of the regulations governing the Military academy at West Point that cadets should "brace" or "qualify" on molasses and prunes. Nevertheless the French soldier is put through a hazing process which is most severe and several times has caused death. The French soldier is known as Picton or Dumanet, just as the English soldier is known as Tommy Atkins. Dumanet finds when he joins the colors that life is not all skittles for a soldier.

The thing which distinguishes the hazing in the French army from the hazing in American colleges and universities is that it is suggested and almost ordered by the commissioned officers. An officer will say to a corporal or a sergeant, "You have a man here who has done so and so," naming some trivial offense, more than likely to be some neglect of the deference due to the officer. "It would do him good if he were tossed in a blanket."

The officer turns on his heel and walks away, while the unfortunate soldier is placed in a blanket, with saber, spurs, jack boots, bayonets and such pleasant bedfellows, and the combination is tossed until the hazers are too tired to continue. This is great sport for the man's comrades, especially if they are half drunk, which they are likely to be. This diversion has rather gone out of favor just now, because several soldiers who have been tossed had the bad taste to die after the discipline.

In some of the French barracks a favorite method of punishment is to hang the offending soldier up by his heels and then to spank him with a sword bayonet. In Algiers, where the men are far removed in the outlying garrisons from the central authority and at the mercy of their tormentors, they are subjected to many forms of hazing at the suggestion of the officers.

At one time the "vilo" was much in favor among the hazers in the Algerian army of occupation. It consisted in putting a man in a deep hole made in the shape of a reversed funnel dug by the Arabs in the ground as a place for the storage of corn. The unfortunate man was left there sometimes for days, with hardly anything to eat or drink and exposed all the time to the heat of the sun, while at night the place was cold. Many died from hunger, thirst or cold, while many others became insane.

The military authorities when they became aware of these tortures issued an order prohibiting such a punishment, but it is still practiced in isolated parts of Algiers where no eye can see of which the officers are afraid.

Several years ago Prince Piguatelli d'Aragon, a young Spanish noble, ran away from his home and went to Algiers to join the foreign legion, the refuge for men "with a past." His friends announced to the French military authorities that the prince had gone to join the legion, but the authorities were able to get no word of his arrival. At last a soldier suggested that perhaps a stranger who wandered into camp and had considerable difficulty in speaking French might be the prince. The sergeant to whom the prince had spoken was drunk at the time and became annoyed at the Spaniard's broken French, so he ordered that the stranger be placed in the "vilo" without more ado. Here the miserable young man remained for two days without eating or drinking, and then a good natured sentry broke the rules and gave him food. As soon as he was rescued from the "vilo" the young man started for Spain, having most thoroughly reconsidered his determination to enter the celebrated foreign legion.

Another form of punishment which used to be popular in Algiers was the "carcan." A piece of wood, usually the trunk of a tree, was used. The man was laid on it, usually bound so that the middle of his back would be resting on the wood, with his head and feet hanging down to the ground. His feet were tied to an iron bar and his hands to another, and, left lying face upward, he was exposed for hours to the terrible heat of the sun. Some men have survived 12 hours of this torture.

A form of punishment still popular among the French colonial troops—that is, popular with those who inflict it and not with those who suffer it—is the "crapadine." It consists of throwing the man face downward and tying his wrists and ankles behind his back so that his wrists and ankles are brought together.—New York Press.

An Embarrassing Laugh.

During a funny turn on the stage at the Walnut Street theater, Cincinnati, one night a man in the balcony leaned over the railing convulsed with laughter. During an extraordinary burst of hilarity his false teeth flew from his mouth and fell in the lap of a lady who was sitting in the parquet. Those near looked up and saw the toothless man waving frantically to the lady to pick up his teeth. This caused a general laugh at his expense. The teeth were returned by an usher.—Exchange.

Where the Guilt Lay.

"You say the play was entirely without a villain?"

"Yes—that is, if you choose to omit the author."—Indianapolis Press.

Curiously, the men who are easiest to get along with are the very men who have no faculty for getting along.—Detroit Journal.

WHERE HEROINES GROW.

Story of the Rescue of Five Unfortunate Hunters by a Poor Burmese Woman.

She is only a Burmese woman, and even her name is not known in this country. But whatever her name may be, it may be here be translated Grace Darling. For she is a saver of life extraordinary, a heroine of large proportions, and a credit to her brown skinned race, says the New York Herald.

From the accounts which have penetrated from the land of secrecy and a few exterior confidences, it appears that she is a simple, unpretentious resident of the countryside near Rangoon. In front of her home flows a stream of considerable proportions, and this proximity has bred in her a love of the water, a familiarity with its caprices and treacheries, and a skill in the handling of all manner of craft fashioned to conquer the waves.

On a recent Sunday six clerks from Rangoon, intent upon the enjoyment of their holiday, set out from the city, guns in hand, with the idea of bringing back a load of game which should furnish food for boasting for many a weary work day. When near the suburb of Insein the hunters came to the conclusion that their chances might be bettered from the vantage point of the opposite shore.

But they had no boat—and the woman had a boat, and it would accommodate the entire party. An arrangement was made for her to ferry the sportsmen across. Midway of the stream a sudden squall sprung up, and, despite the efforts of the party, the sail was carried away and the skiff was swamped.

Not a man could swim. The woman, however, was thoroughly at home in the water, and, directing the capsized hunters to hold to the overturned boat, swam ashore, first with one and then with another. In this manner five were saved. The remaining man lost his head and consequently his life, having released his hold on the skiff and attempted to negotiate the current.

But this did not end the woman's heroism. Exhausted as she was with her labors, she yet swam back to her own side of the shore and secured another boat, in which she sailed to the opposite bank and carried back the dripping survivors.

FOUND AT CLUB PARTIES.

Card Sharps Who Make a Living by Winning Prizes and Pawning Them.

Public progressive euchre parties for rather costly prizes have lately developed a new sort of professional gambler, says the New York Evening Post. There are in the city several small bands of five or six each, mostly women, who go about to public euchre parties and almost always win prizes. The method of procedure adopted by these euchre "sharps" is simple. They watch closely the club and "society" notes in the newspapers, prepare a schedule of dates each week, pay the subscription fee required and enter the games as guests. Their playing is so expert that they have little difficulty in carrying off the prizes. By these means these people make a comfortable living pawning their winnings, and so often turning between $20 and $25 a week.

The professionals, however, are becoming known in some parts of town. At a progressive euchre party held at one of the armories of the city last week it became known before the play began that there were several of the "sharps" in the room, and by a strategy they were excluded, although they had paid the subscription. The six—two men and four women—were arranged so that they were placed in pairs at three tables in different parts of the room and then told that, the sets not being complete, they would have to wait. On leaving the room the six "sharps" met each other and, comparing notes, saw what had been done. They reentered the room, but found that play had already begun. This time they were informed that the game could not be stopped.

Live on Installment Plan.

"One of the curious business customs here," says a correspondent in the City of Mexico, "is that of paying for things on the 'abono' or installment plan. The great shops carry tens of thousands of accounts, which are always being added to by fresh charges, and continually being decreased by the payment of the monthly 'abonos.' From your cradle to your coffin you can, if you have any sort of credit, go through life on the installment plan. This is a city full of government employes, like Washington, and they live, move and have their being on the installment principle."

China's Silk Crop.

The ordinary annual crop of silk in China is estimated at about 21,000,000 pounds, of which over 60 per cent. is consumed in the country where it is produced.

Life.—The poet's exclamation "O Life! I feel thee bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves, are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing the richest blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, run-down, or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abounding. We are glad to say these words in its favor to the readers of our columns.

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KINGS AND THEIR MONEY.

Many Royal Persons Have Made Investments in American Securities.

Emperor William owned at one time $7,000,000 of American securities. About two years ago his holdings were transferred to the name of the Berlin banker, so it is impossible to tell accurately the amount of his holdings at the present moment. It is estimated, however, that they aggregate $3,000,000 and his yearly income from them is $150,000. So far as the records here show, the emperor never speculated in Americans nor invested in industrial securities. His holdings have always been railway bonds or stocks and his favorite issues are Louisville & Nashville, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Illinois Central. The empress of Germany is the individual owner of about $500,000 of American securities. These are in her own name, but the dividend payments are, by her order, made to a firm of Berlin bankers.

Other members of the German royal household, says the Minneapolis Journal, are owners of American securities, but the certificates are mostly in the names of their individual bankers. The securities so held amount to about $4,000,000. The czar of Russia holds $6,000,000 in American bonds and stocks, principally the former. These include issues of the Pennsylvania railroad, New York Central railroad, Northern Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Southern Pacific, New York, New Haven & Hartford and New Jersey Central. His holdings are registered in the name of a St. Petersburg firm, to whom all communications regarding them are sent.

Pardonable Curiosity.

Little Willie—How tall are you, Mr. Flushing?

Mr. Flushing—About 5 feet 9 inches, Willie.

Little Willie—And how tall were you last summer?

Mr. Flushing—Why, just about the same height. Why do you ask, Willie?

Little Willie (puzzled)—Why, because I heard papa say you were a great deal shorter this winter than you were last summer.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A hearty appetite does not always indicate a healthy condition. It is not the quantity of food which is eaten but the quantity which is assimilated, which determines the actual value of the food consumed. If the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition cannot convert the food into nourishment, and into blood, then the food is an injury instead of a benefit. For all disorders of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, there is a certain remedy in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It removes clogging obstructions. It strengthens the stomach, nourishes the nerves, enriches the blood and builds up the body. It is a flesh-forming, muscle making preparation, making firm flesh instead of flabby fat. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky or intoxicant of any kind, and is equally free from opium, cocaine and all narcotics.

Some people are so clumsy they can't drop a remark without breaking their word.

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c. in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. 6 6 4td

RAILROAD NOTES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
A VALUABLE PUBLICATION — SUMMER EXCURSION ROUTE BOOK.

On June 1 the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will publish the 1901 edition of the Summer Excursion Route Book. This work is destined to provide the public with descriptive notes of the principal summer resorts of Eastern America, with the best routes for reaching them, and the rates of fare. It contains all the principal seashore and mountain resorts of the East, and over seventeen hundred different routes or combinations of routes. The book has been compiled with the greatest care, and altogether is the most complete and comprehensive handbook of summer travel ever offered to the public.

The cover is handsome and striking, printed in colors, and the book contains several maps, presenting the exact routes over which tickets are sold. The book is profusely illustrated with fine half-tone cuts of scenery at the various resorts and along the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On and after June 1 this very interesting book may be procured at any Pennsylvania Railroad ticket office at the nominal price of ten cents, or upon application to the general office, Broad Street Station, by mail for twenty cents. 6 6 2t

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Orangeville Borough Ordinances.

ORDINANCE NO. 17.

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING BOROUGH ORDINANCE NO. 16 OF THE BOROUGH OF ORANGEVILLE.

Be it ordained and enacted, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Orangeville, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1. That ordinance No. 16 of the Borough of Orangeville, passed by Council on the 8th day of May, 1900, and approved by the Chief Burgess on the same date, entitled "An ordinance permitting the Montour and Columbia Telephone Company, its successors or assigns, to construct, maintain and operate, a telephone exchange and system of telephone service in the Borough of Orangeville, County o Columbia, and to erect the necesary poles, wires and cables, to operate the same, upon certain terms and conditions," be, and the same is hereby repealed and of no effect.

Passed December 3d, 1900.

C. B. WHITE,
President of the Borough Council.

Attest: CLINTON HERRING, Secretary.
Approved December 3d, 1900.

A. B. HERRING,
Chief Burgess.

ORDINANCE NO. 18.

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Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Orangeville, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1. That the Montour and Columbia Telephone Company, or its successors, be, and it is hereby authorized and empowered to construct, maintain and operate, a telephone exchange and system of telephone service in the Borough of Orangeville, and for that purpose to erect and maintain the necessary poles, wires and cables, upon, over and through the several streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said Borough of Orangeville, subject to the conditions and restrictions hereinafter contained, viz:

Section 2. That the said work shall be done under the supervision of the proper borough authorities, and under and subject to the several ordinances of the said borough, relating to the erection of poles and wires upon the streets avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough.

Section 3. That no poles shall be erected upon any street or avenue of the said borough where a lane or alley shall be by the borough authorities decided to be available for the same purpose.

Section 4. That the said company, or its successors, shall so erect its poles and wires as not to interfere with the wires of the several corporations now having poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough for any purpose, and so as not to interfere with firemen in the extinguishment of fires.

Section 5. That the said poles shall not be erected so as to obstruct, impede, or interfere with the free flow and passage of water in, through, over, or upon any gutter, drain, sewer, culvert, or water course; nor so as to interfere with or obstruct the convenient use of the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough, nor so as to interfere with or damage private property, or of any corporation authorized to do business in said borough.

Section 6. That the said Company, or its successors, shall erect neat poles, reasonably straight, repair and make good all damage or injury to the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys of the said borough, and side-walks thereof, or shade trees thereupon, used by them for the purpose aforesaid.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the assessment of damages on Main street, in the Borough of Orangeville, Pa. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia Co. No. Term, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the said Court, have made out a schedule of the damages allowed, and the benefits assessed in said proceeding, and they will sit, for the purpose of exhibiting said schedule, and hear all exceptions thereto and evidence, at the office of Clinton Herring, in the Borough of Orangeville, on Thursday, June 13th, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day.

H. J. CONNER,
A. M. DEWITT,
FRANCIS HERRING, } VIEWERS.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ISAAC K. APPLEMAN, LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA., DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Isaac K. Appleman, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

6 6 6t A. N. YOST, Administrator.

HARVARD MAN DEAD

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Driver Dowdis is prostrated by the accident. It cannot be determined at present on whom the blame for the accident lies. The wheels passed over Bigelow's body, crushing his lower chest.

Y. M. C. A. In Boston.

BOSTON, June 12.—A sea of upturned faces greeted President Edwin L. Shuey of Dayton, O., as he called to order the great international jubilee convention of the Young Men's Christian association in Mechanics' building yesterday. Those faces were for the most part strange to Boston. From all over the globe the delegates had come, bringing with them individual enthusiasm in the great work for young men, and that enthusiasm, grown mighty in its unison, made the scene before President Shuey one that was powerfully effective. The big hall was radiant with color, while standards on the floor told the location of state delegations and the seats of distinguished men from other countries and lands. The opening exercises were quite brief and to the point, President Shuey not making any preliminary remarks. The afternoon service was held in Trinity church, and Rev. Charles Cuthbert Hall, D. D., of New York preached the sermon. William E. Dodge of New York presided at the evening meeting in Mechanics' hall.

Severe Storm at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, June 12.—A terrific electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind and heavy rain, passed over this section last evening, doing much damage to property and causing at least one death. When the storm reached Homestead, Francis Morris, aged 17 years, and his sister, Minnie, aged 14, were in the yard of their uncle's home on Seventeenth avenue. The house was struck by lightning, and the current took its course along a wire clothesline reaching from the house to a fence 80 feet distant, where young Morris was standing. The boy was instantly killed and his sister badly shocked and hurt by falling bricks. The same bolt struck three other houses in the vicinity, shattering them, but resulting in no other fatalities. At McKeesport the Baptist mission, a frame building, was blown from its foundations into the street and had to be torn to pieces to clear the thoroughfare.

Violent Electrical Storm.

CLEVELAND, June 12.—A violent storm of thunder, lightning and heavy rain broke over Cleveland and vicinity yesterday, causing considerable interruption to telegraph and telephone wires, with other minor property damage. There was little or no wind. The telegraph lines west were all cut off between Cleveland and Toledo. Lightning struck a street car on Bank street, tore a hole in the roof and set the car on fire. The passengers were panic stricken.

Snow In North Dakota.

JAMESTOWN, N. D., June 7.—Snow fell heavily yesterday throughout the central and northern portions of North Dakota. At Jamestown snow fell for two hours. A similar state of affairs is reported in towns on the Jamestown Northern railroad. The snow quickly melted. The oldest settlers cannot recall a similar occurrence in June.

Illinois Trial Today.

BOSTON, June 12.—The battleship Illinois will be sent over the Cape Ann course today on her official speed trial, and President Orcutt of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock company is confident that all records for American battleships will be broken. The requirement is 16 knots, but the figure of 17.25 is looked for.

Remedy Worse Than Disease.

SALEM, Mass., June 11.—Alexander I. Pride of this city applied three gallons of naphtha to some articles of clothing and to his parlor carpet to destroy moths and then, going to the kitchen, attempted to light a fire. The explosion which followed wrecked the building, injured Pride, damaged surrounding property and caused a fire.

Balloons For Baldwin.

QUINCY, Ills., June 12.—Packed in hermetically sealed cans 40 balloons have been shipped to Tromso, Norway, where the outfit will be added to the equipment of the Baldwin-Zeigler north pole expedition. These balloons are not to be used for carrying passengers, but to mark the path of the expedition.

Government Crop Report.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Preliminary reports of the spring wheat acreage indicate a reduction of about 1,200,000 acres, or 5.4 per cent. Of the 20 states reporting 10,000 acres or upward in spring wheat eight report an increase aggregating about 34,000 acres and 12 a decrease amounting to about 1,235,000.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly and Tersely Told.

A snowstorm occurred in Scotland.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall landed at Auckland.

The Philippine commission passed an act organizing the courts.

The capital of a plow trust being formed at Chicago was reported at $75,000,000.

Lord Kitchener reported the surrender of Commandant Van Rensburg at Pietersburg.

The Academy of Music at Kingston, N. Y., with its contents, was completely destroyed by fire.

Adrian, Minn., was visited by a destructive tornado, which did damage estimated at several thousand dollars.

Tuesday, June 11.

Boston's new elevated railway system was opened.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall reached Auckland, New Zealand.

Chief Justice Charles B. Andrews of the Connecticut supreme court resigned.

The American team of trap shooters achieved poor scores in practice in England.

The battleship Illinois reached Boston and is to have a trial trip during the week.

An internal revenue decision was announced to tax outside brokers dealing in puts and calls.

An accident to one of their number caused a panic among 200 girls in a factory at South River, N. J.

Monday, June 10.

Harvest prospects in southern Russia were reported excellent.

The Grand Steeplechase de Paris at Auteuil was won by Calabrais.

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the imperial council of the Mystic Shrine opened in Kansas City.

The transport Hancock arrived at San Francisco from Manila with 31 officers and 1,042 enlisted men of the Thirty-first volunteer infantry.

President Harper of the University of Chicago announced that the university had begun to establish affiliated preparatory schools in different parts of Europe.

Saturday, June 8.

Nineteen rounds were fought in a Paris duel without result.

The Klondike spring clean up of gold was estimated at $15,000,000.

Sarah Bernhardt agreed to play Romeo to the Juliet of Maude Adams.

Silliman hall, the new Y. M. C. A. building, was dedicated at Union college.

Drs. Novy and Freer of Ann Arbor, Mich., reported the discovery of new antiseptics.

J. D. Rockefeller's $200,000 gift was acknowledged by the American Medical association.

Mrs. McKinley's condition was declared unchanged. No evidence of blood poisoning was found.

J. P. Morgan's picture, the Gainsborough Duchess of Devonshire, was inspected by King Edward.

Lawyer Benjamin Adams, who was arrested for playing golf on Sunday, was acquitted by a Yonkers (N. Y.) jury.

Friday, June 7.

Major George Arthur, U. S. A., died at Cleveland.

Horace Pell, a New Yorker, attempted suicide in Cleveland.

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall left Sydney for Auckland.

George W. Bentley, a New York railroad man, killed himself at Norwich, Conn.

Senator Mark Hanna was appointed a colonel by the commander in chief of the G. A. R.

The ocean liner Assyrian was wrecked on the rocks of Cape Race. No lives were lost.

Governor Wells of Utah married Miss Katz, formerly a Salt Lake City newspaper woman.

The coldest June weather in 20 years, with killing frosts, was reported in Oregon and Idaho.

A mirror for the Lick observatory expedition to the southern hemisphere was broken at Pittsburg.

Thursday, June 6.

Major General Chaffee has reached Manila from China.

Turkey has paid the French claims for Armenian massacres.

A powder magazine at the Mare Island navy yard exploded. No lives were lost.

Five French fishing boats, with 117 men, are thought to have sunk off Iceland.

Mrs. McKinley's physicians reported her general condition as "somewhat improved."

Delegates to the National Association of Manufacturers at Detroit urged foreign reciprocity.

The Consolidated Tobacco company, with an authorized capital of $30,000,000, has been incorporated at Trenton.

At Antwerp several wings of the royal entrepot, stored with wool, jute and lard, and the customs house adoining were burned. Eight firemen were hurt.

Ancient Landmark Destroyed.

BAYFIELD, Wis., June 11.—The old Catholic church at La Pointe, Madeline island, has been totally destroyed by fire. The church was an ancient landmark and had been visited by hundreds of tourists annually. The original church was built in 1835 by Father Baraga and rebuilt at a later date. It contained an ancient painting, "The Descent From the Cross," which Indian tradition says was a gift to the La Pointe mission in 1669 by Father Marquette. It is the opinion of some that the picture was stolen and the church set on fire to cover up the loss.

They Cooked a Cartridge.

ROCHESTER, June 11.—Albert and Augusta Wilhardt, aged respectively 11 and 5 years, found a "funny piece of brass with a lead end" on the sidewalk in front of their home on Lincoln park yesterday and proceeded to cook it in the kitchen stove. The cartridge exploded, injuring the two children severely. Albert will lose a hand. Augusta will probably carry a fragment of the bullet in her shoulder for some time.

Noted Novelists Dead.

LONDON, June 11.—Two well known authors have just died. One was Sir Walter Besant, M. A., F. S. A.; the other was Robert William Buchanan. Sir Walter Besant died at his residence in Hampstead after a fortnight's illness from influenza. Two of his sons are fighting in South Africa. One is a captain in the Warwickshire and the other a trooper in the imperial yeomanry. Sir Walter was born at Portsmouth in June, 1838.

THE FRENCH SOLDIER

SOME OF THE BRUTALITIES TO WHICH HE IS SUBJECTED.

Hazings and Other Punishments Which Sometimes End in the Victim's Death That Are Winked at, If Not Ordered, by the Officers.

Soldiers in the French army are not subjected by law to corporal punishment any more than it has been a part of the regulations governing the Military academy at West Point that cadets should "brace" or "qualify" on molasses and prunes. Nevertheless the French soldier is put through a hazing process which is most severe and several times has caused death. The French soldier is known as Picton or Dumanet, just as the English soldier is known as Tommy Atkins. Dumanet finds when he joins the colors that life is not all skittles for a soldier.

The thing which distinguishes the hazing in the French army from the hazing in American colleges and universities is that it is suggested and almost ordered by the commissioned officers. An officer will say to a corporal or a sergeant, "You have a man here who has done so and so," naming some trivial offense, more than likely to be some neglect of the deference due to the officer. "It would do him good if he were tossed in a blanket."

The officer turns on his heel and walks away, while the unfortunate soldier is placed in a blanket, with saber, spurs, jack boots, bayonets and such pleasant bedfellows, and the combination is tossed until the hazers are too tired to continue. This is great sport for the man's comrades, especially if they are half drunk, which they are likely to be. This diversion has rather gone out of favor just now, because several soldiers who have been tossed had the bad taste to die after the discipline.

In some of the French barracks a favorite method of punishment is to hang the offending soldier up by his heels and then to spank him with a sword bayonet. In Algiers, where the men are far removed in the outlying garrisons from the central authority and at the mercy of their tormentors, they are subjected to many forms of hazing at the suggestion of the officers.

At one time the "vilo" was much in favor among the hazers in the Algerian army of occupation. It consisted in putting a man in a deep hole made in the shape of a reversed funnel dug by the Arabs in the ground as a place for the storage of corn. The unfortunate man was left there sometimes for days, with hardly anything to eat or drink and exposed all the time to the heat of the sun, while at night the place was cold. Many died from hunger, thirst or cold, while many others became insane.

The military authorities when they became aware of these tortures issued an order prohibiting such a punishment, but it is still practiced in isolated parts of Algiers where no eye can see of which the officers are afraid.

Several years ago Prince Piguatelli d'Aragon, a young Spanish noble, ran away from his home and went to Algiers to join the foreign legion, the refuge for men "with a past." His friends announced to the French military authorities that the prince had gone to join the legion, but the authorities were able to get no word of his arrival. At last a soldier suggested that perhaps a stranger who wandered into camp and had considerable difficulty in speaking French might be the prince. The sergeant to whom the prince had spoken was drunk at the time and became annoyed at the Spaniard's broken French, so he ordered that the stranger be placed in the "vilo" without more ado. Here the miserable young man remained for two days without eating or drinking, and then a good natured sentry broke the rules and gave him food. As soon as he was rescued from the "vilo" the young man started for Spain, having most thoroughly reconsidered his determination to enter the celebrated foreign legion.

Another form of punishment which used to be popular in Algiers was the "carcan." A piece of wood, usually the trunk of a tree, was used. The man was laid on it, usually bound so that the middle of his back would be resting on the wood, with his head and feet hanging down to the ground. His feet were tied to an iron bar and his hands to another, and, left lying face upward, he was exposed for hours to the terrible heat of the sun. Some men have survived 12 hours of this torture.

A form of punishment still popular among the French colonial troops—that is, popular with those who inflict it and not with those who suffer it—is the "crapadine." It consists of throwing the man face downward and tying his wrists and ankles behind his back so that his wrists and ankles are brought together.—New York Press.

An Embarrassing Laugh.

During a funny turn on the stage at the Walnut Street theater, Cincinnati, one night a man in the balcony leaned over the railing convulsed with laughter. During an extraordinary burst of hilarity his false teeth flew from his mouth and fell in the lap of a lady who was sitting in the parquet. Those near looked up and saw the toothless man waving frantically to the lady to pick up his teeth. This caused a general laugh at his expense. The teeth were returned by an usher.—Exchange.

Where the Guilt Lay.

"You say the play was entirely without a villain?"

"Yes—that is, if you choose to omit the author."—Indianapolis Press.

Curiously, the men who are easiest to get along with are the very men who have no faculty for getting along.—Detroit Journal.

WHERE HEROINES GROW.

Story of the Rescue of Five Unfortunate Hunters by a Poor Burmese Woman.

She is only a Burmese woman, and even her name is not known in this country. But whatever her name may be, it may be here be translated Grace Darling. For she is a saver of life extraordinary, a heroine of large proportions, and a credit to her brown skinned race, says the New York Herald.

From the accounts which have penetrated from the land of secrecy and a few exterior confidences, it appears that she is a simple, unpretentious resident of the countryside near Rangoon. In front of her home flows a stream of considerable proportions, and this proximity has bred in her a love of the water, a familiarity with its caprices and treacheries, and a skill in the handling of all manner of craft fashioned to conquer the waves.

On a recent Sunday six clerks from Rangoon, intent upon the enjoyment of their holiday, set out from the city, guns in hand, with the idea of bringing back a load of game which should furnish food for boasting for many a weary work day. When near the suburb of Insein the hunters came to the conclusion that their chances might be bettered from the vantage point of the opposite shore.

But they had no boat—and the woman had a boat, and it would accommodate the entire party. An arrangement was made for her to ferry the sportsmen across. Midway of the stream a sudden squall sprung up, and, despite the efforts of the party, the sail was carried away and the skiff was swamped.

Not a man could swim. The woman, however, was thoroughly at home in the water, and, directing the capsized hunters to hold to the overturned boat, swam ashore, first with one and then with another. In this manner five were saved. The remaining man lost his head and consequently his life, having released his hold on the skiff and attempted to negotiate the current.

But this did not end the woman's heroism. Exhausted as she was with her labors, she yet swam back to her own side of the shore and secured another boat, in which she sailed to the opposite bank and carried back the dripping survivors.

FOUND AT CLUB PARTIES.

Card Sharps Who Make a Living by Winning Prizes and Pawning Them.

Public progressive euchre parties for rather costly prizes have lately developed a new sort of professional gambler, says the New York Evening Post. There are in the city several small bands of five or six each, mostly women, who go about to public euchre parties and almost always win prizes. The method of procedure adopted by these euchre "sharps" is simple. They watch closely the club and "society" notes in the newspapers, prepare a schedule of dates each week, pay the subscription fee required and enter the games as guests. Their playing is so expert that they have little difficulty in carrying off the prizes. By these means these people make a comfortable living pawning their winnings, and so often turning between $20 and $25 a week.

The professionals, however, are becoming known in some parts of town. At a progressive euchre party held at one of the armories of the city last week it became known before the play began that there were several of the "sharps" in the room, and by a strategy they were excluded, although they had paid the subscription. The six—two men and four women—were arranged so that they were placed in pairs at three tables in different parts of the room and then told that, the sets not being complete, they would have to wait. On leaving the room the six "sharps" met each other and, comparing notes, saw what had been done. They reentered the room, but found that play had already begun. This time they were informed that the game could not be stopped.

Live on Installment Plan.

"One of the curious business customs here," says a correspondent in the City of Mexico, "is that of paying for things on the 'abono' or installment plan. The great shops carry tens of thousands of accounts, which are always being added to by fresh charges, and continually being decreased by the payment of the monthly 'abonos.' From your cradle to your coffin you can, if you have any sort of credit, go through life on the installment plan. This is a city full of government employes, like Washington, and they live, move and have their being on the installment principle."

China's Silk Crop.

The ordinary annual crop of silk in China is estimated at about 21,000,000 pounds, of which over 60 per cent. is consumed in the country where it is produced.

Life.—The poet's exclamation "O Life! I feel thee bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves, are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing the richest blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, run-down, or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abounding. We are glad to say these words in its favor to the readers of our columns.

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KINGS AND THEIR MONEY.

Many Royal Persons Have Made Investments in American Securities.

Emperor William owned at one time $7,000,000 of American securities. About two years ago his holdings were transferred to the name of the Berlin banker, so it is impossible to tell accurately the amount of his holdings at the present moment. It is estimated, however, that they aggregate $3,000,000 and his yearly income from them is $150,000. So far as the records here show, the emperor never speculated in Americans nor invested in industrial securities. His holdings have always been railway bonds or stocks and his favorite issues are Louisville & Nashville, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Illinois Central. The empress of Germany is the individual owner of about $500,000 of American securities. These are in her own name, but the dividend payments are, by her order, made to a firm of Berlin bankers.

Other members of the German royal household, says the Minneapolis Journal, are owners of American securities, but the certificates are mostly in the names of their individual bankers. The securities so held amount to about $4,000,000. The czar of Russia holds $6,000,000 in American bonds and stocks, principally the former. These include issues of the Pennsylvania railroad, New York Central railroad, Northern Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Southern Pacific, New York, New Haven & Hartford and New Jersey Central. His holdings are registered in the name of a St. Petersburg firm, to whom all communications regarding them are sent.

Pardonable Curiosity.

Little Willie—How tall are you, Mr. Flushing?

Mr. Flushing—About 5 feet 9 inches, Willie.

Little Willie—And how tall were you last summer?

Mr. Flushing—Why, just about the same height. Why do you ask, Willie?

Little Willie (puzzled)—Why, because I heard papa say you were a great deal shorter this winter than you were last summer.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A hearty appetite does not always indicate a healthy condition. It is not the quantity of food which is eaten but the quantity which is assimilated, which determines the actual value of the food consumed. If the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition cannot convert the food into nourishment, and into blood, then the food is an injury instead of a benefit. For all disorders of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, there is a certain remedy in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It removes clogging obstructions. It strengthens the stomach, nourishes the nerves, enriches the blood and builds up the body. It is a flesh-forming, muscle making preparation, making firm flesh instead of flabby fat. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky or intoxicant of any kind, and is equally free from opium, cocaine and all narcotics.

Some people are so clumsy they can't drop a remark without breaking their word.

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RAILROAD NOTES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

A VALUABLE PUBLICATION — SUMMER EXCURSION ROUTE BOOK.

On June 1 the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will publish the 1901 edition of the Summer Excursion Route Book. This work is destined to provide the public with descriptive notes of the principal summer resorts of Eastern America, with the best routes for reaching them, and the rates of fare. It contains all the principal seashore and mountain resorts of the East, and over seventeen hundred different routes or combinations of routes. The book has been compiled with the greatest care, and altogether is the most complete and comprehensive handbook of summer travel ever offered to the public.

The cover is handsome and striking, printed in colors, and the book contains several maps, presenting the exact routes over which tickets are sold. The book is profusely illustrated with fine half-tone cuts of scenery at the various resorts and along the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On and after June 1 this very interesting book may be procured at any Pennsylvania Railroad ticket office at the nominal price of ten cents, or upon application to the general office, Broad Street Station, by mail for twenty cents. 6 6 2t

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Orangeville Borough Ordinances.

ORDINANCE NO. 17.

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING BOROUGH ORDINANCE NO. 16 OF THE BOROUGH OF ORANGEVILLE.

Be it ordained and enacted, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Orangeville, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1. That ordinance No. 16 of the Borough of Orangeville, passed by Council on the 8th day of May, 1900, and approved by the Chief Burgess on the same date, entitled "An ordinance permitting the Montour and Columbia Telephone Company, its successors or assigns, to construct, maintain and operate, a telephone exchange and system of telephone service in the Borough of Orangeville, County o Columbia, and to erect the necessary poles, wires and cables, to operate the same, upon certain terms and conditions," be, and the same is hereby repealed and of no effect.

Passed December 3d, 1900.

C. B. WHITE,
President of the Borough Council.

Attest: CLINTON HERRING, Secretary.

Approved December 3d, 1900.

A. B. HERRING,
Chief Burgess.

ORDINANCE NO. 18.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND EMPOWERING THE MONTOUR AND COLUMBIA TELEPHONE COMPANY, OR ITS SUCCESSORS, TO CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE, A TELEPHONE EXCHANGE AND SYSTEM OF TELEPHONE SERVICE IN THE BOROUGH OF ORANGEVILLE, AND TO ERECT THE NECESSARY POLES, WIRES AND CABLES, TO OPERATE THE SAME, UPON CERTAIN TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Orangeville, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same:

Section 1. That the Montour and Columbia Telephone Company, or its successors, be, and it is hereby authorized and empowered to construct, maintain and operate, a telephone exchange and system of telephone service in the Borough of Orangeville, and for that purpose to erect and maintain the necessary poles, wires and cables, upon, over and through the several streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said Borough of Orangeville, subject to the conditions and restrictions hereinafter contained, viz:

Section 2. That the said work shall be done under the supervision of the proper borough authorities, and under and subject to the several ordinances of the said borough, relating to the erection of poles and wires upon the streets avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough.

Section 3. That no poles shall be erected upon any street or avenue of the said borough where a lane or alley shall be by the borough authorities decided to be available for the same purpose.

Section 4. That the said company, or its successors, shall so erect its poles and wires as not to interfere with the wires of the several corporations now having poles and wires upon and over the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough for any purpose, and so as not to interfere with firemen in the extinguishment of fires.

Section 5. That the said poles shall not be erected so as to obstruct, impede, or interfere with the free flow and passage of water in, through, over, or upon any gutter, drain, sewer, culvert, or water course; nor so as to interfere with or obstruct the convenient use of the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys, of the said borough, nor so as to interfere with or damage private property, or of any corporation authorized to do business in said borough.

Section 6. That the said Company, or its successors, shall erect neat poles, reasonably straight, repair and make good all damage or injury to the streets, avenues, lanes and alleys of the said borough, and side-walks thereof, or shade trees thereupon, used by them for the purpose aforesaid.

Section 7. That the said Montour and Columbia Telephone Company shall pay the costs of printing and publication of this ordinance, and also pay the cost of printing and publishing ordinances No. 16 & 17; and that before permission shall be granted by the proper borough authorities to the said Company to erect any poles, or string any wires or cables, the said Telephone Company shall file a written acceptance of this ordinance and enter into a bond to the said borough in the penal sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00), conditioned upon the faithful performance of its terms and conditions.

Passed December 3rd, 1900.

C. B. WHITE,
President of the Borough Council.

ATTEST: CLINTON HERRING, Secretary.

Approved December 3d, 1900.

A. B. HERRING,
Chief Burgess.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the assessment of damages on Main street, in the Borough of Orangeville, Pa. | In the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia Co. No. Term, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the said Court, have made out a schedule of the damages allowed, and the benefits assessed in said proceeding, and they will sit, for the purpose of exhibiting said schedule, and hear all exceptions thereto and evidence, at the office of Clinton Herring, in the Borough of Orangeville, on Thursday, June 13th, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day.

H. J. CONNER,
A. M. DEWITT,
FRANCIS HERRING, } VIEWERS.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ISAAC K. APPLEMAN, LATE OF BLOOMSBURG, PA., DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Isaac K. Appleman, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

6 6 6t A. N. YOST, Administrator.

AN OFFICIAL MIX UP.

THE STORY OF AN APPOINTMENT TO A JUDGESHIP.

How the Man Slated For Associate Justice of New Mexico's Supreme Court First Got a Surprise and Afterward the Office.

Late in the year 1900 it was decided by the powers in Washington that Mr. Daniel H. McMillan, ex-state senator of New York and for many years general counsel in the city of Buffalo for the Vanderbilt system of railroads, was to be appointed associate justice of the supreme court of New Mexico.

This appointment had been urged not only by those who knew Mr. McMillan in the state of New York, but by lawyers of Santa Fe and of other cities in New Mexico who knew of him and desired to see him obtain the place.

Toward the close of 1900, with Governor Otero of the territory, Mr. McMillan was on a Lake Shore train speeding toward Washington. When the train stopped at Painesville, O., newsboys boarded it, and one of them called out: "All about the new supreme court judge of New Mexico. Silas Alexander appointed." The governor of the territory and Mr. McMillan looked at each other, and they bought a paper, and in that paper they read in glaring headlines that Silas Alexander of Santa Fe had received the appointment to the vacant judgeship.

Mr. McMillan the morning of his arrival in the capital went at once to the office of the secretary of war.

"How did it happen I was not appointed?" he asked.

"Why," said Mr. Root, "you are appointed!"

"Why," said Mr. McMillan, "you are mistaken." And he drew from his pocket the Cleveland newspaper of the day before. Secretary Root turned all colors. "This is a mistake," he said; "an absurd, strange mistake, for I have it from the president's own lips, corroborated by Mr. Griggs, attorney general, that your name was sent yesterday to the senate for action and that the recommendation was duly signed by President McKinley."

Then the men went to the state, war and navy building and found Attorney General Griggs.

"But you have been given the appointment," said Mr. Griggs.

"Then what does this newspaper report mean?" was the reply.

The attorney general was dumfounded. "I cannot conceive what it means," he said. He tapped his bell, and when a messenger came in response he requested the attendance of the clerk in confidential relations with him, whose duty it is to fill in upon appointment blanks the names of those who are designed for appointments by the executive.

The clerk appeared. "Mr. Blank," said the attorney general, "find out at once whose name was sent yesterday to the senate with the recommendation by the president that he be appointed associate justice of the supreme court of New Mexico."

"I will look," said the clerk. He soon returned with a memorandum slip in his hand.

"Mr. Alexander," he said—"the man from Buffalo."

Then a glimmering of the truth dawned upon the group. "Are you sure," said Attorney General Griggs, "that the name was not McMillan?"

"Certainly," was the reply. "The name was Silas Alexander."

The situation was remarkable, and time was important.

The president of the United States had inadvertently, by the error of a subordinate, been made to set aside the man whom he had intended to name.

There came a pause. Mr. Griggs broke the silence.

"Well, gentlemen," he said, "the fat is in the fire, but we must get it out. My subordinate has made this mistake, and I must do my best to get it rectified, and perhaps the fault is partly mine, for I told him to fill in the name of 'the Buffalo man,' and he, probably, seeing the name Alexander and identifying it with the congressman of the same name prominently known in Washington as coming from Buffalo, thought that he was to be the appointee."

And so the three men went to the president and explained matters, and as a consequence a messenger, preceded by a telephone message, sped rapidly toward the capitol with instructions to seek immediately the leader of the senate and prevent any action on the mistaken nomination and to make the statement to that leader that it was withdrawn.

The messenger arrived just as the senate was about to take action, and if the telephone had been relied upon the nomination of Silas Alexander would have been confirmed by the United States senate, and the will of the president of the republic would have been defeated.—Saturday Evening Post.

Looking For Work.

s, ma'am," said the ragged fat man, "I'm lookin fur work. Yer ain't got no odd jobs of scrubbin or washin 'er be did, have yer?"

"Why, you surely don't do scrubbing or work of that sort?" said the housekeeper.

"Sure not. I'm lookin fur work fur me wife."—Philadelphia Record.

Ignorance Is Bliss.

"Is there anything peculiar about him?"

"Not at all. He simply doesn't know, and that's the usual combination in cases of people who don't know."—Chicago Post.

Many women first show signs of age by a droop in the eyelid. This is caused by strained eyesight, excessive weeping, ill health or years. It can be overcome by daily faithful manipulation.

HIGH FARMING.

Things a Live Lad of Eighteen. No Brother to the Ox, Can Do.

One of the most restless creatures in existence is an ambitious farm lad of 18 who has not yet decided what he will do for a living. Jacob Biggle, in Farm Journal, advises such lads that it is very often the best way to settle down at home and hew their way to peace and plenty right on the old farm. But Mr. Biggle very sensibly adds a programme of some interesting and profitable things a live boy can do to begin with:

First.—He can learn how to bud and graft and always be ready to do such work for the neighbors; also to supply scions of valuable kinds of fruits. In time many a dollar can be made in this way.

Second.—He can learn all about injurious insects and fungi that assail the farmers' crops and how to apply remedies to their devastation. Get the best sprayer, learn how to use it and take contracts with the neighbors to protect them at all seasons of the year. There is money in it, and the neighbors will be glad to be relieved of such responsibility.

Third.—Take a course in surveying and learn to write simple legal documents and in time find that you are a very important man in the neighborhood. There will be plenty of business.

Fourth.—Learn about landscape gardening and take contracts for laying out lawns. Get up clubs for trees, shrubs, seeds, fertilizers, newspapers and magazines during the winter season.

Fifth.—Grow rare strawberry and small fruit plants, fruit and shade trees and other things that no one else has near by, so that the folks around will know where to come for such things.

Sixth.—Get a Babcock milk test and be prepared to tell the neighbors the individual standing of their cows at so much a head. There is room in every dairy neighborhood for a person of this kind, and he will have plenty to do.

Seventh.—A neighbor's plum trees do not bear, he has yellows among his peach trees, his apple orchard is blighted, dying from some unknown cause—you can help him out of his troubles, and he can afford to pay you for it.

"Harriet" suggests that the proper training of colts ought to have been in Mr. Biggle's list, and so it goes in.

PROTECTION FOR HAY.

A Cheap Cover That Will Soon Pay For Itself.

On the farm where hay is stacked rather than stored in barn or mow there are tons wasted and spoiled every season. In feeding, though the greatest care be taken, it will be impossible not to open a stack in some weather that will ruin the exposed hay. A cheap and convenient cover can be made that in one season will more than pay for itself in the hay it will preserve, says an Ohio Farmer writer.

Cut two 16 foot 2 by 4's in two pieces each, of equal length, which will be eight feet. With some rough lumber board up a side by laying the studding six feet apart and cutting the boards of that length. When you have

HAYSTACK COVER.

the two sides boarded, place the two ends of the sections together. This will be the apex of the cover. The 2 by 4's should have been left projecting a few inches in order to bolt the two sides together at the apex. This cover will form a roof that will turn all storm and preserve the hay as well as though stored in a barn. As the covers are made in sections of six feet each, only that much of a stack need be cut down at a time. In order to hold the covers firmly in place bore an inch hole in the lower ends of the 2 by 4's and with a piece of smooth wire or rope hang a heavy weight to it or stake it down to the ground.

Use of Lime In Curing Alfalfa Hay.

Alfalfa hay half cured in the field may be completely cured in the stack or mow without rust or mold. Air slake the lime before using it, so as to have it ready when needed. I sprinkle freely as I put the alfalfa in the stack or mow. Stock will relish it and receive no injury. Lime will make some dust, but horses fed on it two winters show no injury. I used four barrels of lime in putting up over 100 tons of hay. I have used lime two seasons, and I do not hesitate to say it is all right.—Kansas Farmer.

Agricultural Brevities.

A four years' test on Long Island soils supports the idea that 1,000 pounds is the most profitable amount of high grade fertilizer to use per acre for potatoes.

Cow and horse manure supplement one another, the former being rich in potash, the latter in nitrogen and phosphoric acid. Together they form a complete manure, furnishing in good proportions the three essential constituents of plant food.

Dwarf Essex rape, if sown early in May, is likely to become infested with lice. It is a plant which does best when sown in July and allowed to grow in the late summer and fall, says L. A. Clinton in Country Gentleman.

In buying manure preference should be given to that of grain fed animals.

COSTLIEST OF LOG HOUSES.

A Residence Being Built on an Island in Maine at an Expense of $75,000.

The costliest log house ever built in Maine, and probably in the world, is being constructed on Warren's island, Gilkey's harbor. It was begun by the late W. H. Forwell, of Philadelphia, and is being completed by his son, Nathan P. Forwell, to whom the property was willed with the provision that it should be finished according to the plans adopted. It will cost nearly $75,000. The log hut, as some of the neighbors call it, is 100x105 feet, and is built of unpeeled spruce timber cut upon the island. Fred Hunter, an expert log cabin builder from Virginia, is superintending the erection of the building, and is copying the style that prevailed in Virginia a century or more ago.

The house will contain 22 sleeping rooms, a living hall 30x40 feet, a dining-room 20x30 feet, a kitchen 20x25 feet, a laundry 20x25 feet, and a storeroom 15x25 feet. There will be six bay windows and 100 of the ordinary kind. Many of the windows will be fitted with panes of glass 4x5 feet. The roof is gabled.

The large living-hall is finished with gilt molding, and from the windows one can look across upon the Camden mountains, famous for their beauty. This view caused Mr. Forwell to have placed above the immense open fireplace a large marble tablet with the inscription: "How beautiful are the mountains," from Isaiah. Work on the house was begun more than a year ago, and it will require four months to finish it.

A Rara Avis.

Mr. Twoyear Kiddlett was saying: "I have always been very much interested in the sayings of children. Now, my little boy—"

The general exodus was checked by his next words:

"—'s the only child I ever saw whose remarks were not worth repeating."

Of the 14 men who fought for opportunities to take Mr. Kiddlett's hand, one was hurt seriously.—Town Topics.

Corner in Polar Dogs.

According to Sir Clements Markham, president of the Royal Geographical society, Americans are responsible for forming such a successful corner in polar dogs that the pending British and other arctic expeditions are confronted with a difficulty nearly as great as the ice fields. It appears that E. B. Baldwin, the American explorer, has bought up such a large supply of dogs that their price has risen from $18 to $30 and they are hard to secure even at that price.

The Cocoon's Thread.

The thread of the cocoon of the silk worm is not wound around and around, as might be supposed, but irregularly here and there, as the worm moves his head to and fro within his self-made house. Many yards of thread may sometimes be unwound from the cocoon without turning it over at all.

Looking for Trouble.

"They say that riches do not bring happiness."

"Yes. And the reason is quite evident. As soon as a man gets a few millions saved up he begins to think about going into politics."—Washington Star.

Art and Economy.

Edmonia—Edgar, I'm going to burn these new photographs of mine; they look ten years older than I do.

Edgar—Nonsense; put them away until you catch up with them.—Indianapolis Journal.

Alack! Alas!

He could tell without a stagger,
In a manner that was swagger,
How to finance a nation, while speaking on the stump;
But when it came to giving
His wife and child a living,
It became a local issue, and you bet he had to hump.
—Chicago Daily News.

THE OUTLOOK

For a woman's happiness in the married state depends less, as a rule, upon the man she is to marry than upon her own health. The woman who enters upon marriage, suffering from womanly weakness, is "heaping up trouble against the day of trouble."

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a second writ of pluries levari facias, and a writ of alias fieri facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on

SATURDAY, JULY 6th, 1901,

the following described property, to wit:

All those two certain messuages, or tenements, and tracts of land, situate in Columbia County, Pennsylvania.

The first tract, situate in the Borough of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, in line of lands of George Zarr, deceased, and running from thence by lands now of William Berninger (known as the Grist Mill Tract), and running from thence by the same south two and a quarter degrees west, ten perches to the north end of the county bridge over Catawissa Creek; thence through the centre of said bridge south thirty-eight degrees east, fifteen perches to the intersection of a public road leading to Ashland; thence by said road south eight and a quarter degrees west, nine and two-tenths perches to a point in the centre of said road, in line of lands of Mrs. Berger; thence by said line south eighty-one and a half degrees west, twenty-three and a half perches to a post, originally a spruce tree; thence by land of Jonathan Fortner north fifty-eight and a half degrees west, sixty-four perches to originally a maple, on the south side of Catawissa Creek; thence south eighty-two and a half degrees east, crossing said Catawissa creek, and running by a public road, leading down Catawissa Creek to the Town of Catawissa, forty-four perches to a point in said public road; thence by land of Wm. Long and land belonging to the estate of George Zarr, deceased, north seventy-four and a half degrees east, thirty-nine perches to the place of beginning, containing

9 ACRES AND 38 PERCHES

(be the same more or less), on which are erected

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and other outbuildings.

There is a chemical fibre mill, ground wood mill, and paper mill, and the appurtenances, including the waters of said creek, to supply the mill with water power, &c.

The second lot, or parcel of land, situate in the Township of Catawissa, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post, in line of lands of Jonathan Fortner, a corner of a lot of ground belonging to Mrs. Berger, and running from thence by the same north eighty-three and a half degrees east, seven and a half perches; thence by the same north seventy-two and a half degrees east, nineteen and a half perches to the south post of a gate; thence by land of Mathias Gingles south fifteen and a quarter degrees west, nineteen and a half perches to a chestnut tree; thence by the same south twenty-five degrees west, eight perches to a post; thence by the same south nineteen degrees west, six and six-tenths perches to a post; thence by the same south forty-three degrees west, nine and a half perches to a corner of a lot or tract of land known as the Foundry Lot, now owned by Samuel J. Frederick; thence by said lot north forty-nine degrees west, nineteen perches to a post, in line of land of Jonathan Fortner; thence by said line north five and a half degrees east, thirty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing

5 ACRES AND 13 PERCHES

(be the same more or less), on which is formed and constructed a dam or basin for the purpose of gathering fresh or clear water for the aforesaid paper mill.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of J. W. McKelvy and J. H. Harman, executors of William McKelvy, deceased, now to the use of Joseph R. Wainwright; and Joseph R. Wainwright, executor of Israel R. Wainwright and Clement R. Wainwright, deceased, now to the use of the First National Bank, of Catawissa, against Edmund McCready and John W. McCready, with notice to the Catawissa Fibre Co., Limited, terre tenant, and at the suit of Matilda Hughes, surviving executor and trustee of the estate of Douglass Hughes, deceased, in trust for Carrie Harman, vs. the Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, terre tenant, and to be sold as the property of Edmund McCready and John W. McCready, and the Catawissa Fibre Company, Limited, terre tenant.

DANIEL KNORR, Sheriff.

W. H. RHAWN, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

Pursuant to an order from the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, upon the petition of all the heirs at law of Susan Romick, deceased, the undersigned administrator will expose to public sale, on the premises, in Centre township, in said county, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 1901,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following described real estate, to wit: All that certain piece, parcel and tract of land, situate in the Township of Centre, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, in line of land of Isaac Hagenbuch; thence by land of Levi Remley, and Miller and Neyhard south, sixty-nine degrees west, seventy-six and three-tenths perches to a stone, in line of land of Jos P. Conner; thence by the same south one and one-half degrees east, fifty-four perches to a stone; thence by land of Daniel B. Whitmire north seventy-nine and one-quarter degrees east, seventy-six and two-tenths perches to a stone; thence by land of Isaac Erwine north twenty-seven and one-quarter deg's west, thirty-seven and nine-tenths perches to a stone; thence north seventy-eight degrees east, ten and eight-tenths perches to a stone; and thence by land of the said Isaac Hagenbuch north thirteen degrees west, seventeen and seven-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing

24 ACRES

and 53 perches, strict measure, be the same more or less. It being the same premises lately owned and occupied by Susan Romick, now deceased, whereon are erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE

and a barn. There is plenty of good fruit on the premises, and it is a very desirable little property. All grain in the ground is reserved. Deed and surveys, if wanted, at the expense of the purchaser. Possession given upon payment of one-fourth of the purchase money.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the balance of the one-fourth at the confirmation nisi, which will be on the first Monday of September, 1901, and the remaining three-fourths in one year from date of sale.

ALSO.—At the same time and place, the undersigned administrator will expose to public sale the following personal property, to wit: One-third interest in three acres of wheat in ground, one-third interest in one acre of rye in ground, one-third interest in four acres of oats in ground, and one-third interest in three acres of corn in ground.

LEVI A. REMLEY,
Administrator of Susan Romick, dec'd.

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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Hilda Hummer, late of the township of Sugarloaf, county of Columbia, Pa. deceased, have been granted to Sarah Mannon of Fishingcreek, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

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SALES.

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 1901.—Levi A. Remley, administrator of the estate of Susan Romick, late of Centre Twp., Col. Co., Pa., deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises, in said township, a tract of land, containing 24 acres and 53 perches, including a two-story frame dwelling house and barn. Sale to commence at 2 p. m.

For a good bicycle, either ladies' or gent's, go to Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Important Telephone Extensions.

Meeting of Stockholders at Sunbury—George B. Wright Made Superintendent.

The directors of the United Telephone and Telegrapn Company of this section met at Sunbury Friday for the purpose of deciding as to some important changes and extensions of the system. A new line will be connected extending from Shamokin to Seven Points. A new trunk line will be built between Sunbury and Lewisburg. The line leading to Washingtonville will be extended to Muncy, via Turbotville and probably Exchange. At Muncy connection will be made with the Williamsport and North Branch Telephone Company.

When the system is completed subscribers in this section will be enabled to talk to Altoona. George B. Wright has been made superintendent of the Shamokin Valley, Montour & Columbia and the Home Company lines, with an office at Sunbury.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Rev. F. M. Traub will address the Men's Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. All men are most cordially invited to be present.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. assisted by the Auxiliary of the Boys Arigade will serve ice cream, straw berries, cake and coffee at the building on the evening of June 21. Proceeds for the benefit of the Boys Brigade.

The time set for the Brigade encampment is July 17. Six or eight good sized recruits are desired to make up a firing squad, and also one fifer and two drummers for the Drum Corps. Boys who would like to fill these vacancies should apply at once at the Y. M. C. A. office.

Wouldn't Sign His Name.

A newspaper man, from an up-river town, spent a few days in Bloomsburg last week. He was in conversation with the writer, and in speaking of the unreasonableness of some men, said that he was recently approached by a subscriber to his paper and asked to publish an article "roasting" a citizen. He consented and was furnished with an outline of what was desired. The article was written just as he wanted it, and when it was read to him he exclaimed, "That's splendid; that will make his hair crumble." "All right," said the editor, "Now let me see what are your initials?" "Good heavens," said the citizen, "You are not going to sign my name to it!" "Why not?" asked the editor. "I would not have any one to know that I had anything to do with that for the world. I can't afford to get in a fray with my neighbors." "Well," said the editor, "Why should I shoulder the responsibility for a matter that does not concern me in the least, and to which you are afraid to sign your name?" The man stopped his paper and went away mad.

Exciting Runaway.

S. H. Harman had a runaway Sunday morning and as a result his handsome rubber tired carriage was almost demolished. He emerged from the Central Hotel alley about half past ten, the animal prancing with excessive vigor and the high finish of the carriage glistening in the morning sunlight. When in front of the Exchange Hotel the horse began to disport a little too much for Sam's comfort. He applied the whip, but it failed of its purpose. The horse dashed down Main street paying its compliments to the dashboard about every ten feet. In attempting to stop, the horse was turned suddenly to the left and collided with an awning post in front of Watson's Millinery store. The wooden timber was torn from its position and a front wheel of the carriage was twisted off. The horse now was thoroughly frightened and unmanageable. But Sam was equal to the occasion, with the agility of an equestrian he jumped from the crippled vehicle and held fast to the lines until the animal was conquered. Neither Mr. Harman nor the horse was hurt.

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TOWN COUNCIL.

Assemble in Regular Monthly Session.

State Cannot Furnish Equipment for Use at Military Funerals.

The June meeting of Council held Thursday evening of last week was attended by President Ikeler and members, Rabb, Dieffenbach, Cronin, Webb and Kashner.

In regard to the State furnishing the necessary arms and equipment, for use at military funerals, a reply in the negative was received from Adjutant General Stewart. The epistle states that all the equipage now in use by the National Guard of this State had been loaned from the government. It suggested however, that if an effort was put forth by Council, second hand instruments or arms might be secured. The matter was allowed to rest for the present.

Bills aggregating $593.91 were presented and the Secretary was instructed to issue orders for payment of same.

The repairing of First street between Iron and North was recomended by Mr. Kashner, but continued till next meeting, as was also the election of ward policemen.

The Committee on Highways is to confer with S. C. Creasy, in regard to paving the walk along Seventh street, below Sixth. Mr. Creasy appeared and stated that in his opinion the cobbling of the gutter is a pre requisite work.

A petition to improve Fifth street from Market to East, and fix up the paving of that thoroughfare with a suitable material between Market and Iron was presented by C. C. Peacock. Referred to the Solicitor.

The gutter on First street near Market was complained of by E. B. Tustin. As soon as pipe arrives same will be repaired.

The ordinance question relating to the electric railway was taken up by Council. The fifth and sixth sections occasioned considerable discussion, which finally resulted in the disapproval of both sections. They were voted on separately, each receiving five negative votes out of six.

Mr. Scanlan of the Columbia and Montour Electric Railway Company was asked by Mr. Dieftenbach, whether the Company, if allowed to lay T rails now, would replace them some time in the future if Council so desired, with the girder rails.

Mr. Scanlan's reply was that the Company would not entertain such a proposition, as it would mean double work and expense. He then extended an invitation to Council to accompany him to some cities where the T rails were in use. He suggested Allentown and other places in that section.

It was moved and seconded that the invitation be accepted. They left on the tour of inspection Monday. The party included President Ikeler, all the members, and Secretary of Council, John T. Tracy.

Recital.

There will be a short music recital given in St. Paul's Episcopal church immediately following the regular service next Sunday evening. Following is the program to be rendered:

Flute Solo	"Landler."	*Bohm*
	Mr. F. E. Miller.	
Cornet Solo	"The Holy City."	*Adams*
	Mr. L. McHenry.	
Flute Solo	"Air Melodieux."	*Bohm*
	Mr. F. E. Miller.	
Organ	"Marche Nuptiale."	*Loret*
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Flag Day.

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Gwinner—Davis.

Dr. J. M. Gwinner and Miss Annie Davis, two well known young people of Centralia, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Tuesday afternoon. The interesting event was consummated in the private parlor of the Colonade Hotel, Philadelphia, by Rev. Davis, of the Presbyterian faith. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few relatives and friends of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Gwinner spent several days in Philadelphia, and then took in the sights of New York. They expect to be gone several weeks, during which a trip up the Hudson River and a sojourn at the Pan-American Exposition will follow. Dr. Gwinner and his fair bride have hosts of warm friends and they have their united best wishes that the journey through life may be one of unalloyed happiness.—*Ashland Advocate.*

CARPET SALE.

At the Tabernacle on Market street on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, June 17, 18 and 19, there will be offered to the highest bidders a great chance to buy cheap carpets. Its a rare chance. Short lengths, rugs, all dropped patterns, etc. Read the advertisement on first page.

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Mazie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ammerman is visiting her parents and friends.

Children's Day exercises were held in the M. E. church on Sunday evening, being well attended.

A. C. Keim came home from Berwick last week, being on the sick list and disabled from work.

Wm. Sterner who is employed at Berwick by the American Car & Foundry Co., spent Sunday with his family.

Lizzie Pettit and brother Orvil came down from Pine Creek Saturday and are circleing among friends.

Century Club Entertained.

The Century Club of Bloomsburg consisting of the following members, spent yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank G. Peters, West Mahoning street: Miss Low, Miss Elizabeth Low, Mrs. John G. Harman, Miss Drinker, Miss Tustin, Miss VanTassel, Miss Unangst, Mrs. R. R. Little, Miss Pursel and Mrs. L. P. Sterner.—Danville *Sun*, Friday.

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Mrs. John Rantz.

Mrs. John Rantz, widow of the late John Rantz of Benton township, died at the home of her son Jonas, Thursday, and was interred in the Benton cemetery Saturday afternoon, aged about 96 years. John Rantz who died several years ago was a Fort Mifflin victim, by reason of political persecution in the days of extreme political excitement. Mr. Rantz was 60 when he was arrested by despotic will and power and military intimidation. The Rantz have ever been noted as a peaceable, quiet and unpretentious people and of German descent. John Rantz' prison life was brief but severe, lasting 8 months and 11 days in the filthy bastile of Fort Mifflin. The wife who just passed away was a woman of great experience by reason of the military troubles that afflicted her household. The death of this woman calls up many sad reflections that have been buried for years.

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